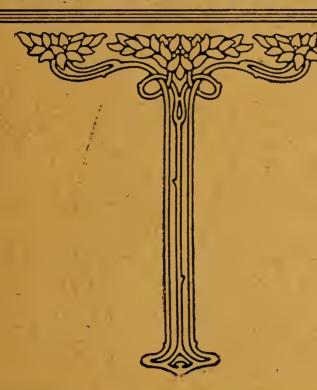
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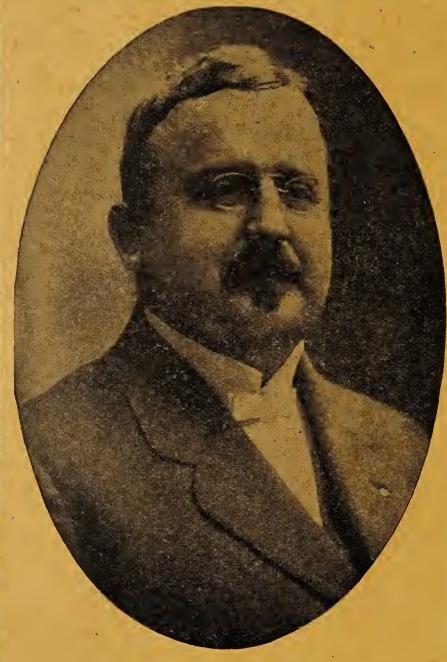
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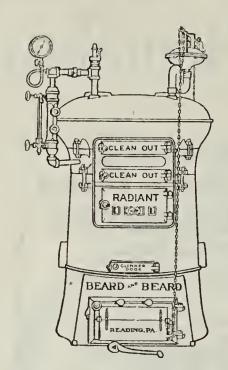
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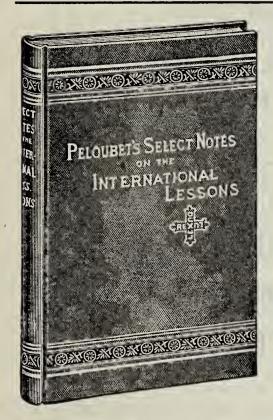
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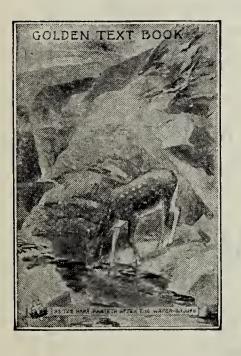
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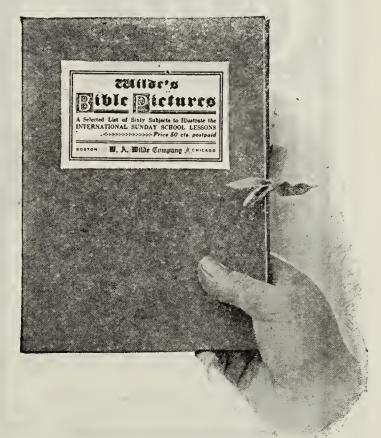


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CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

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FIRST DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Allentown, Pa., October 1, 1913.

The one hundred and fourteenth session of the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, convened on the above date, in the Linden Street Church of the United Brethren in Christ of Allentown, Pennsylvania, Bishop William M. Weekley, D. D., of Kansas City, Missouri, presiding.

Bishop Weekley conducted the devotional service and read a Scripture Lesson from Colossians first chapter, after which he delivered an address.

The roll of the Conference was called, after which, the Conference standing, the roll of deceased members was called and a hymn sung.

J. A. Lyter and C. E. Boughter were re-elected Recording Secretary and Assistant Recording Secretary respectively.

E. A. G. Bossler and R. R. Butterwick were re-elected Statistical Secretaries.

The compensation of the secretaries was fixed as follows: J. A. Lyter, \$50.00; C. E. Boughter, \$30.00; E. A. G. Bossler, \$20.00; R. R. Butterwick, \$15.00, and the expenses of each respectively.

The Recording Secretary was on motion empowered to edit and arrange the Minutes.

The provisional program for the Conference as printed was designated as the program for this session of the Conference.

Harold Knauss was introduced to the Conference as page.

The following Resolution relative to hearing pastors' reports was passed:

Resolved, That the routine hearing of pastors' reports, one by one, be dispensed with, and that pastors and delegates of charges reporting deficits meet with the Finance Committee for conference about the matter, and that said Committee report its conclusions and recommendations to this body.

The Bishop appointed the following committees for this session of Conference:

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On Memoirs—I. M. Hershey, S. E. Rupp.

The following were granted advisory seats during the session of the Conference: Rev. W. R. Funk, D. D., Publishing Agent; Rev. S. S. Hough, D. D., Secretary, Foreign Missions; Rev. W. E. Schell, D. D., Secretary of Education; Rev. C. W. Brewbaker, Ph. D., Secretary of Sabbath Schools; L. O. Miller, General Church Treasurer; Rev. G. D. Gossard, D. D., President, Lebanon Valley College, and Rev. C. W. Stinespring, Field Agent, Quincy Orphanage.

The following were introduced to the Conference during the session: United Evangelical Church—Revs. A. W. Cooper, D. G. Reinhold, J. H. Stermer, A. B. Saylor, D. P. Longsdorf, F. S. Borkey, E. S. Woodring, J. L. Guinther.

Evangelical Association—Revs. B. L. Romberger, B. F. Bohner, T. L. Wentz, J. Tonkin, A. H. Derstter, H. M. Taylor, F. M. Gingrich, Chas D. Dreher, Chas. H. Eagle.

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Free Methodist Church—Revs. W. E. Frederick, D. O. King.

Baptist Church—Rev. William Ward West.

Reformed Church—Revs. Simon Sipple, Joseph S. Peters.

Secretary, Y. M. C. A.—H. W. Elvidge.

The following Resolution relative to applicants for educational aid was adopted:

RESOLVED, That all applications for aid from the Educational Beneficiary Fund be made in writing and submitted to the Committee on Applicants and Credentials; and, that no aid be given to any one except upon recommendation by this committee.

R. R. BUTTERWICK, S. C. ENCK.

The following applicants for license to preach the Gospel were on motion referred to the Committee on Applicants and Credentials:

Raymond H. Arndt, G. L. Blouch, J. H. Dunham, C. L. Earley, Norman I. Fake, H. H. Fertig, I. W. Funk, George W. Hallman, John O. Jones, C. R. Longenecker, Lloyd Martin, H. M. Mentzer, John W. Oakes, H. E. Schaeffer, H. A. Smith, H. E. Ulrich, C. Y. Ulrich, C. W. Schwalm, Harry F. Boeshore.

W. C. Shoop and J. Warren Kaufman were referred to the same Committee for dismissals from the Conference.

The following resolutions, relative to church union, were unanimously adopted.

RESOLUTIONS ON CHURCH UNION.

Whereas, It is well known that our people of the East Pennsylvania Conference do not consider favorably the proposition of the union of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ and the Methodist Protestant Church on the basis of the syllabus presented by the Church-union commission to our late General Conference; and,

Whereas, Our charter provisions are such as to make it extremely hazardous to take any action favorable to such union; therefore, be it RESOLVED, First, That, by a rising vote, we express our disapproval of the organic union of the aforesaid Churches; and,

Second, That therefore we do not approve of the submission of the Church-union proposition to a vote by our people, and that we will not be held responsible for any further negotiation on this question, and consequently must refuse to accept any apportionment of the expense that may be incurred by any further negotiation or action on this matter negotiation or action on this matter.

The first day morning session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by H. M. Miller.

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The first day, afternoon session of the Conference convened at 1.30 After prayer by H. S. Gabel, Bishop Weekley delivered a most practical address on "The Need of Revivals and How to Promote Them," which was followed by a precious communion service.

- J. F. Musselman was on motion admitted to the itinerant list. The names of M. J. Mumma and U. S. G. Renn deceased during the year were referred to the Committee on Memoirs, consisting of I. M. Hershey and S. E. Rupp.
- G. A. Richie, who joined another denomination was referred to the Committee on Applications and Credentials.

The report of the Conference Superintendent, D. D. Lowery, was read, approved, and his character passed. It is as follows:

CONFERENCE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Presiding Bishop and Members of the East Pennsylvania Conference in Annual Session at Allentown Pa., Greeting.

My Dear Brethren:—How quickly the year has gone! and here we are again in annual session—the one hundred and fourteenth session of the East Pennsylvania Conference. Much more could be said than time would permit or space could be given in the records of this conference for the detailed report of all the items of interest and accomplishment, with all their various aspects and degrees of importance to each separate congregation represented in this body. I shall refrain from giving statistics as in former years, since these will be found in the Treasurer's report and the statistical chart and summary of the published minutes in better form and greater accuracy than they could otherwise be given, nor has it ever been possible to secure a perfectly complete report until our meeting here. I shall not attempt to do this, and fill this space with mere guesses and suppositions, but I shall rather confine myself to a brief state-

ment of conditions as I see them, and perhaps offer a few suggestions that may be helpful to a better understanding of our needs and to the unfolding of a larger vision of our future possibilities.

Deaths—There were two deaths during the past year, one in the active ministry, Rev. U. S. G. Renn; the other in the superannuated class, Rev. M. J. Mumma. For each of these brethren a suitable paper will be read in the memorial service provided in the conference program for Saturday afternoon's session.

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Vacancies—Northampton charge, which became vacant immediately after the last session of conference, was finally supplied by the appointment of Rev. C. R. Longenecker, a quarterly conference preacher of our Palmyra First church, who served them acceptably during the remainder of the year. Early in the year our State Street church, Harrisburg, became vacant by the death of Rev. U. S. G. Renn. The vacancy was immediately filled by the appointment of Rev. Thomas Garland as supply to fill out the unexpired term, which he did faithfully and efficiently. Almost at the close of the conference year Rev. P. F. Roberts, serving Sinking Spring charge as a student, resigned, but our people there being then in the midst of church repairs, concluded that it would not be specially advantageous to the congregation to have a pastor appointed at that late date, so that the charge was left vacant for the remaining few weeks.

Rev. H. B. Spayd has already indicated his purpose to remove to California, and Rev. I. E. Runk, D. D., recently accepted an appointment from the Allegheny Conference; so that by the voluntary removal of these two brethren I have two absolute vacancies among our pastors in the active work of our conference to report.

Itinerancy—Rev. J. F. Musselman, who was received in the service of the conference in the active work of our conference to report.

Itinerancy—Rev. J. F. Musselman, who was received into conference ministerial relations about four years ago, and has ever since been in the active work as a missionary in Africa, should be voted into the itinerancy at this session.

Applicants for License—We have, I suppose, the largest class of applicants for annual conference license to preach coming to this conference in all our history, and I doubt whether it can be equalled anywhere in this denomination, and besides, one to whom I suggested that he seek admission into the Allegheny conference, since I knew that they needed, perhaps, a man of his type, while we had an oversupply, found admission there upon the recommendation of one of our quarterly conferences, leaving still eighteen to be referred to the proper committee for consideration, as follows: Raymond H. Arndt, Harry Boeshore, G. L. Blouch, C. L. Early, Norman I. Fake, H. H. Fertig, I. W. Funk, Geo. F. Hallman, John O. Jones, C. R. Longenecker, Lloyd Martin, H. M. Mentzer, John W. Oakes, C. W. Schwalm, H. E. Schaeffer, H. A. Smith, H. E. Ulrich, C. Y. Ulrich, All these were properly recommended by their respective quarterly conferences for your consideration. for your consideration.

Material Prosperity—On a very large number of our pastoral charges churches and parsonages have been improved, but I can only mention a few here, such as have made more or less extensive repairs to their properties. Elizabethville, where the church building had been considerably damaged by fire; Elizabethtown, completing and fitting up the basement, thus supplying additional facility for Sunday school work; Florin, where the tower was enlarged and the church otherwise improved and beautified; Lancaster, North Queen Street, furnished a new set of pews and a more satisfactory adjustment of the steamheating plant; Lancaster, Laurel Street, building tower to church; Coatesville, general overhauling, frescoing and carpeting; Philadelphia, Mt. Pisgah, decorating ceiling and side walls with beautiful metallic workmanship, carpeting and otherwise adding improvements to the building; Allentown, Sixth Street, frescoing and other improvements made to the building; Sinking Spring, furnished with a set of modern pews, frescoing and carpeting; Lebanon, Bethany, enlargement of church building; Palmyra, Second, furnished the Sunday school room with a new set of pews, carpeting and frescoing, and otherwise making improvements; Hershey, extension of building and other important improvements; Schuylkill Haven, placing beautiful metallic ceiling and on side walls, and other improvements. improvements.

other improvements.

The fine stone church building at Annville, to which I referred in last year's report as then in process of completion, was dedicated early in the conference year at a cost of \$75,000, and the Sunday school building of the Harrisburg, Sixth Street, church, a splendid stone structure, was completed and dedicated at a cost of \$28,000.

Our Lancaster Covenant people have recently purchased an excellent site of large dimensions on the corner of Mulberry and Orange streets, at a cost of \$34,000, and it is expected that operations will begin there before so very long in the erection of a fine, large, modern church building, such as they need to meet their present demands.

In accordance with the action of the last annual conference a location, that can not be surpassed, was early secured for our West Philadelphia project on the corner of Catherine and Fifty-ninth streets, and after all the necessary preliminary arrangements had been made the building of the chapel or Sunday school building and parsonage was entered upon with energy and large faith, so that now the buildings are rapidly nearing completion, and the church will be ready for dedication some time during the month of October. This building will be a fine stone structure, complete in all its appointments, and imposing in its appearance. But I must not say too much in description of it, for it must be seen to be properly appreciated and admired. I should also say in this connection that Dr. Enck has been out in the field, traveling over a large part of the

conference district soliciting funds for this worthy enterprise, and he has succeeded beyond our highest expectation. The class there was organized on Easter Sunday with fifty-three charter members, and at the present time the membership is eighty-four.

A Sunday school, and later a class was organized at Tremont by Rev. P. M. Holdeman, the pastor of the Valley View charge. The indications are very favorable for a growing and prosperous congregation at that point, and they come to this conference asking for recognition by requesting to be placed on the list of appointments, and to have a pastor assigned to the charge.

Convention and Camp Meetings—The conference Branch of the Woman's Missionary Association met in their annual gathering at Mt. Carmel, and is reported to have been a very enthusiastic and inspiring occasion.

The usual camp meetings were again held in their respective groves, and were all well attended. The Mt. Gretna Camp Meeting Association completed finally its very pleasant task, without a dissenting voice, of adopting the new constitution and by-laws, in harmony with our church regulations, thus bringing that Association under the absolute control and authority of the Church. This conference should take some action requesting the Board of Managers to provide for the holding of a Bible Conference at that place, of such character and strength as to awaken universal interest and secure general co-operation among our pastors and laity. our pastors and laity.

Lebanon Valley College—It is most gratifying to learn that our College, located in our immediate midst, has lately opened its new year with a most hopeful outlook, in the largely increased attendance of students, the better equipment that has been supplied, and therefore the brighter hope that has come to its patrons and that seems to grip them with a renewed purpose to make it the leading institution of the Church.

Our Missions—Undoubtedly we shall always have the poor with us, and this is true of a few of the missions in the conference, but the large majority of them are rapidly coming to their maturity, and will soon be able to stand unassisted, and take their places in the ranks of our stations, when they will help in the extension of our work in the establishment of missions in important centers as yet unoccupied by our Church. That should be the constant aim, ambition and eager desire of all who are now receiving help, to come speedily to the point where they may have the glorious satisfaction of helping others instead of depending upon others for help. God pity the church or congregation that persists in holding on to its crutches and stubbornly refuses to learn to walk by itself. And then, too, there should not now be a charge in the conference, outside of a few missions, dependent upon an appropriation to meet the minimum salary of its pastor. We can not go up with our minimum salary until the present minimum condition is entirely met.

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Salarics—While there has been commendable advance in the salaries paid the pastors of the conference, there is still room for improvement. Perhaps our conference pays the highest average salary—or equal to the highest—in the denomination, but there are still individual congregations in other conferences that surpass us by several hundred dollars; and this, not because they are more able, but because they have come to see the advantage, both to themselves and the pastor, in doing so. We should now get our eyes off the minimum and fix them on the maximum salary possibility, and so move in the direction of an adequately paid, in keeping with our demands for an adequately efficient ministry. If our men who have really made our charges strong and effective are to be held in service with us we must give proper recognition to their abilities, and show reasonable appreciation of their valuable services; in the first place, by acknowledging their equality with the best anywhere—and this will not be difficult to do—; and in the second place, by giving them remuneration for their services commensurate with the demand their ability and value to the congregation which they may serve, places upon such congregation. By some strangely elusive attraction our people are some times drawn admiringly to men at a distance upon whom they place estimates which, unaccountably, they never think of placing upon men of their own conference who are yet known and acknowledged to be of superior strength and quality—I have particular cases of actual occurrence in mind here. By what strange infatuation are we some times led to smite the hand that helps, and to kiss the hand that strangles!

The Budget—It may be expected that I say something about the new plan

The Budget—It may be expected that I say something about the new plan of finance for the benevolences of the Church. But this matter is to have special notice as provided in the program, so that I need only say here that it is hoped that our pastors and people will rally to the support of this interest and determine by a united support that it shall meet with complete success.

In practically all of our charges there is something of a budget system, in a number of them a complete arrangement of this sort for the financing of the general and local interests of the Church, but it is most earnestly desired that it should be universally adopted. I would suggest that the conference pass upon it in such a way as to make the adoption of the complete budget system universally obligatory, together with the requirement that an estimate be placed upon every member of the Church in each local congregation. We shall never be able to reach our best possibility everywhere in this regard until we have the courage and the grace to say that there shall be no other method of finance from end to end of the district.

The Spiritual Life of the Church—Whatever we may be able to say about the material things, and congratulate ourselves upon the advancement made, and the unusual prosperity enjoyed in this respect, the only true foundation of

all permanency in building up our Church into the glerious structure of successful achievement, which neither the storms nor the floods of time can demolish, must be the spiritual life of our people. This must necessarily have first and chief attention. The progress here made, I fear some times, has not been kceping pace with the material and numerical growth of the Church. In all our calculating and planning for the future material interests of the Church we should give large place in our calculation to a devoted purpose to bring our people up to a high standard of spiritual attainment, and so, therefore, of splendid efficiency in Christian service. Important and helpful as it undoubtedly is to have fine church buildings, with all the appliances and facilities that the best taste, skill and moncy can provide, it is still more important that we have the highest type of Christian manhood and Christian womanhood, fit temples for the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. May I appeal to my brethren that we emphasize this more and more in our preaching, and then enter upon an everymember campaign of soul-winning in our respective communities.

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Special Mention—I should, perhaps, mention before closing that while two of the minsterial seats are vacant here to-day because death has come into our midst, as I stated under that head in this report, there is also another seat vacant, that of Rev. J. Francis Smith, whose physical condition is so precarious as to have prevented him from fulfilling his most cherished desire to meet with us in this session of conference. He is to undergo an exploratory operation, and it is to be hoped that it may result in the restoration of his health. He desired that I remember him to his brethren, and I also ask that you remember him in your prayers prayers.

In Conclusion—I desire to express my heart-felt gratitude to all my brethren for their unform kindness to me, and my devout thanks to our Heavenly
Father for His great goodness to me, and for his sustaining power vouchsafed
in the midst of trials and difficulties, not only for myself, but also for all here
present; and praying for His continued favor, and especially for His presence
with us in annual conference session, to direct in all our deliberations, so that
His will may be done here as it is done in Heaven, I remain
Yours in fraternal bonds of service,

D. D. LOWERY.

The Boundary Committee reported as follows, which was on motion approved.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES.

We, your Committee on Boundaries recommend the following:
First That there be one Conference Superintendent district.
Second, That Tremont be recognized as an appointment and known as Tremont charge.

Third, That Barry be detached from Valley View charge and attached to

Tremont charge.

Fourth, That Sinking Springs charge be attached to Denver and be known

as Denver charge.

Fifth, That Brunnerville be detached from Hopeland and be placed under the quarterly conference of Lititz charge.

Sixth, That the name of Philadelphia Mt. Pisgah be changed to Philadelphia First, and Philadelphia West to Second U. B. Church, West Philadelphia.

Seventh, That all other charges remain as they now are.

B. M. BRENEMAN, Secretary.

D. D. Lowery was re-elected Conference Superintendent for the twentyfirst consecutive term.

The following resolutions relative to a bond issue and mortgage on the West Philadelphia church property were presented and adopted:

RESOLUTION.

Be it Resolved by the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, in annual session at Allentown, Pennsylvania, That the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ hereby authorizes its Treasurer to pledge any and all bonds amounting in the aggregate to fifteen thousand dollars and authorized by resolution of this Annual Conference, which bonds are secured by a first mortgage on real estate situated at the north east corner of Catherine Street and Fifty-ninth Street, in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in favor of The Valley Trust Company of Palmyra, Pennsylvania, as Trustee, as collateral security for the payment of any or all loans that may be necessary to make in order to pay, at the stipulated time, the balance due on the contract price of the church property situated at the north east corner of Catherine Street and Fifty-ninth Street, in the Forty-sixth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania.

RESOLUTIONS.

Be it Resolved by the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, in annual session at Allentown, Pennsylvania: First, That the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the

United Brethren in Christ hereby authorizes its President and Secretary to execute, acknowledge and deliver as the act and deed of the Conference aforesaid, a first mortgage upon its real estate situated at the north east corner of Catharine treet and Fifty-ninth Street, in the Forty-sixth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, in favor of The Valley Trust Company of Palmyra, Pennsylvania, as Trustee, for an issue of Bonds to the amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000.00) DOLLARS, to secure the payment of said Bonds.

Secondly, That the said President and Secretary aforesaid are authorized to have printed Bonds, impressed with the seal of the corporation, signed by its President and Secretary, and to contain the stipulations hereinafter set forth.

Thirdly, That the aforementioned Bonds shall be forty-five (45) in number and numbered from one (1) to forty-five (45) inclusive; That Bonds numbered one (1) to fifteen (15) inclusive shall be in the amount of FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS, and Bonds numbered from sixteen (16) to Forty-five (45) shall be in the amount of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (\$250.00) DOLLARS, the total aggregating FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000.00) DOLLARS; That they shall be made payable to THE VALLEY TRUST COMPANY OF PALMYRA, PENNSYL-VANIA, or Bearer, at the place of business of said Trust Company in Palmyra, Pennsylvania, TEN (10) years from April 1, 1914, with the option to the said Conference to redeem them or any of them after April 1, 1919, providing a notice of not less than thirty (30) days be given the Bondholder, the interest on the said Bonds ceasing at the appointed time; and that the Bonds shall guarantee the payment of an annual interest of Five (5) per cent., payable annually on the first day of April in each year at the place of business of the aforesaid Trust Company, the necessary coupons being attached to the said bonds.

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THIS INDENTURE made the first day of October in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen (1913), Between the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ (a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania) party of the first part, and The Valley Trust Company of Palmyra, Pennsylvania (a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania) Trustee for the bondholders hereinafter mentioned, party of the second part.

Whereas, At the annual meeting of the said the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, duly called and constituted as prescribed by the Charter and Discipline of the Church, at Allentown, Pennsylvania, on the day of October in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen (1913), the following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Annual Conference aforesaid, to wit:

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NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that the party of the first part for the better securing the payment of the said Bonds, aggregating the sum of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000.00) Dollars, with interest thereon as aforesaid unto the bondholders of the said bonds according to the items and conditions thereof, and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar unto the party of the first part in

hand well and truly paid by the said party of the second part at and before the ensealing and delivery hereof, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold, aliened, enfeoffed, released and confirmed, and by these presents does grant, bargain, sell, alien, enfeoff, release and confirm unto the said party of the second part, Trustee as aforesaid, its successors and assigns, to and for the proper use and behoof of the holders of the aforesaid bonds:

All that certain lot or piece of ground with the improvements, situate at the North East Corner of Catherine Street and Fifty-ninth Street in the Forty-sixth ward of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, CONTAINING in front a breadth on the said Catherine Street One Hundred and Fifty-six feet and extending of that width in length a depth Northward along the East side of said Fifty-ninth Street and a line parallel therewith, Seventy-three feet six inches to the middle of a certain three feet wide alley leading from Fifty-eighth Street to Fifty-ninth Street.

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Being part of the same premises which Lucius S. Landreth and wife by indenture dated the 15th day of June, A. D. 1906, and recorded at Philadelphia in Deed Book W. S. V. No. 684, page 181, etc., granted and conveyed unto Charles F. Grayson and George W. Morris in fee. And the said George W. Morris and Wife by indenture dated the 18th day of December, A. D. 1909, and recorded at Philadelphia in Deed Book W. S. V. No. 1221, page, 315, etc., and re-acknowledged and now lodged for record, granted and conveyed the one full equal and undivided half part of a larger lot or piece of ground of which the above described premises are a part, unto Lucius S. Landreth in fee. And the same premises which Lucius S. Landreth and Frances E. Landreth his wife and Charles P. Grayson, unmarried, by indenture dated the 13th day of January, A. D. 1913, and recorded at Philadelphia in Deed Book E. H. T. No. 178, page 368, etc., granted and conveyed unto the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ in fee. TOGETHER with the free and common use, right, liberty and privilege of the above mentioned alley as and for a passage way and water course at all times hereafter forever, in common with the owners, tenants and occupiers of the other lots of ground bounding thereon and entitled to the use thereof.

TOGETHER with all and singular the improvements, ways, streets, alleys, passages, waters, water-courses, rights, liberties, privileges, hereditaments, buildings, and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, and the Reversions and Remainders, Rents, Issues and Profits thereof, and of every part and parcel thereof.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said hereditaments and premises hereby granted, or mentioned and intended so to be, with the appurtenances, unto the said party of the second part, Trustee as aforesaid, its successors and assigns, to and for the proper use of the holders of the said bonds. UNDER AND SUBJECT NEVERTHELESS to the following conditions, agreements and restrictions, That there shall not at any time hereafter forever be erected, altered, changed into or used any store or stores, public or private garages, public or private stables or any other building or buildings for offensive use or occupation upon the above described lot or piece of ground, or any part or parts thereof, except that there may be erected a store upon the North East Corner of Fifty-ninth and Catharine Streets, That no building or buildings to be erected upon the above described lot or piece of ground or any part thereof shall at any time hereafter forever be used or occupied for the manufacture or sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, either wholesale or retail or as a bottling establishment for any of said liquors. That no building or buildings to be erected upon the above described lot or piece of ground or any part thereof shall at any time hereafter forever be occupied or be permitted to be occupied by any person or persons other than the Caucasian Race. That if at any time hereafter dwellings, flat-houses or apartment houses shall be built upon any part or parts of the above described lot or piece of ground, the same shall not be less than fifteen feet six inches in front of brickwall, nor less than forty-two feet in depth, of brickwall and not less than two stories in height of brickwall.

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BUT PROVIDED ALSO that in case of default being made at any time in the payment of the principal of the said Bonds, or of any annual interest thereon when due and payable by the terms and conditions of the said Bonds, or any charges or premiums of insurance as aforesaid, upon the request of the majority (in amount) of the bondholders, after first satisfactorily securing said Trustee in connection with the same, the entire amount hereby secured with interest thereon unpaid shall then become due and payable, and a writ of Scire Facias may be issued forthwith on this mortgage and prosecuted to judgment, execution and sale for the collection of the whole amount including interest unpaid together with all premiums of insurance, fees and costs and expenses

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of such proceedings, including an attorney's commission of Five (5) per cent., and all errors in such proceedings together with stay of or exemption from execution or extension of the time of payment which may be given by any Act of Assembly now in force or which may be enacted hereafter are forever waived and released; and PROVIDED FURTHER that the said Trustee shall not be held liable for anything done in good faith in the performance of its said trust.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said party of the first part to these presents has caused its common or corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and the President and Secretary of the said Annual Conference have, by virtue of the authority vested in them, hereunto subscribed their names in attestation of the execution hereof, the day and year first above written.

EAST PENNSYLVANIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE CHURCH OF THE UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST.

(Seal).....Secretary.

Signed and sealed in the presence of us.

State of Pennsylvania, ss: County of

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the day of A. D. 1913, before me, a notary public for the said State and County, personally ap-1913, before me, a notary public for the said State and County, personally appeared

President and Secretary respectively of the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, the above named corporation, who being duly affirmed according to law, depose and say that they were personally present at the execution of the above written Indenture of Mortgage and saw the common seal of the said corporation, the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ duly affixed thereto; and that the seal thus affixed thereto is the common or corporate seal of the said the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ; and that the said Indenture of Mortgage was duly signed, sealed and delivered by and as for the act and deed of the said the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ for the uses and purposes therein mentioned; and that the names of these deponents subscribed to the said Indenture of Mortgage as President and Secretary respectively of the corporation aforesaid in attestation of the due execution and delivery thereof are of these deponents own and respective handwriting.

Affirmed and subscribed before me the day and year above mentioned, as witness my hand and notarial seal.

Notary Public.

THE VALLEY TRUST COMPANY OF PALMYRA, PENNSYLVANIA, above-mentioned accepts the foregoing trust.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said corporation has caused its corporate seal to be affixed hereto and its President and Secretary to subscribe their names in attestation of the due execution hereof.

THE VALLEY TRUST COMPANY OF PALMYRA, PENNSYLVANIA.

.....President.

The report on Christian Stewardship was presented by S. C. Snoke, and after addresses by S. S. Hough, D. D., and L. O. Miller was adopted. is as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP.

We find that not all Christians, in fact a comparatively small percentage, have learned the secret of that richer, fuller Christian experience of which we are assured in Malachi 3-10.

The matter of giving is one of the sweetest of the Christian graces if done on God's plan. As happiness and joy are much sought after in this life, the question naturally arises, why do so many miss this means of its attainment? Let us stop a moment and consider a few facts which our own experience and history will confirm.

The work of a church has been entered upon. Little has been said respecting its financial responsibility. It is regarded as a religious institution. The other is lost sight of. The months roll around and there are pressing needs for money. The anxious pastor or official appeals from the pulpit and desk.

They have gone about soliciting, not once, but yea, twice, thrice and maybe oftener. Soon you hear the criticism, "Ah! they are always begging down at that Church." We all realize how much, giving, under those conditions, is a Christian grace. It takes wonderful grace to give at all.

It is gratifying, however, that during recent years these conditions have been changed. Pastors and officials are placing the facts before their congregations from the start. Through inspiration and educational processes, the people are being led to systematically and cheerfully support the Church, and its interests at home and abroad. With the result that pastors have been able to go into their pulpits and fulfill that higher calling of preaching and teaching as well as going about doing good. To illustrate—a church, within the knowledge of the Committee, for years circulated envelopes periodically for this, that, and the other. Appeals were made frequently from the pulpit and at least two special offerings were taken yearly. Fortunately, they learned a better way. A budget was made, showing the possible current expenses and benevolent offerings to be made during the year. The Duplex envelope system was adopted. The whole financial plan was fully explained to every member before the work of the conference year began. It is hardly necessary to state that the financial problem of that church was solved.

So your committee most earnestly recommends that each church accepts and immediately puts in operation, the plan of finance adopted by the recent General Conference as it relates to the local church. We want again to bring to your attention the fourth recommendation embodied in the report of your Committee on Christian Stewardship at your last annual session, viz., that the tithing principle, which is the Biblical method of church support, be presented by the pastors in a series of sermons for the financial and spiritual good of their people, and the up-building of the educational institutions of the church.

The first day, afternoon session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by William E. Schell, D. D., General Secretary of Education.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The second day, morning session of the Conference convened at 8.30 o'clock. Devotional exercises were conducted by U. Gambler.

The roll of the Conference was called.

The Minutes of the first day's sessions were read and approved.

The names of the following unemployed ministers were called and their characters passed: G. F. Bierman, J. Binkley, J. W. Boughter, F. J. Butterwick, G. W. Enders, U. Gambler, I. M. Groff, J. B. Koons, William Lamey, J. L. Ohmacht, J. Runk, J. Shoop, J. G. Steiner, A. N. Ulrich, A. M. Blecker, J. W. Bomberger, J. B. Glick, M. G. Holtzman, J. H. Kurtz, W. H. Lehman, T. J. Leibold, Ira D. Lowery, C. E. Rettew, H. U. Roop, W. H. Snyder, B. B. Weidman.

On motion the characters of all the employed ministers were passed.

The following resolution relative to the Conference Church Extension and Missionary Society was passed:

Resolved, That the Conference Church Extension and Missionary Society of the East Pennsylvania Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, is hereby authorized and empowered to make such loans during the year as it may deem necessary.

S. C. ENCK, D. D. LOWERY.

The Finance Committee presented the following report which was on motion adopted. It was also ordered that a thousand copies of the report be printed and distributed to the members of the Conference during the session.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee begs to submit the following report and recommendations:

FIRST: That we adopt the following budget of Finances:

Receipts

Rental on Harrisburg Lot, House Rent, Interest on Notes, Conference Budget, General Conference Budget,	$\begin{array}{c} \$30 \\ 100 \\ 300 \\ 15,520 \\ 18,500 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \end{array}$
Total,	\$34,450	00
Expenditures		
Superintendent's Salary, Appropriations, Lebanon Valley College, Preachers' Aid, Interests and Discounts, Minimum Salary, General Conference Budget, Contingencies,	\$2,250 5,200 1,500 1,000 2,900 1,000 18,500 2,350	00 00 00 00 00
Total,	\$34,450	00

SECOND: That there be three columns of assessments as follows: Conference Budget, General Conference Budget and West Philadelphia.

THIRD: That the columns for Conference Budget include Superintendent's Salary, Preachers' Aid, Lebanon Valley College, Contingent Fund and Conference Missions.

FOURTH: That the column for General Conference Budget include Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Church Erection, Bishops' Salary, Finance Commission, Preachers' Pension, Sunday School General Fund, Bonebrake Seminary, Educational Beneficiary, General Conference Expenses, Evangelism and Incidentals.

FIFTH: That the Conference Superintendents' Salary be \$2,250 a year. SIXTH: That we make an appropriation of \$1,500 as an installment on a pledge given Lebanon Valley College at the Conference of 1908.

SEVENTH: The apportioned assessments are based upon the financial ability, membership, encumbrance or freedom from encumbrance by local financial enterprises and a measure of developed activity in the several pastoral appointments in the Conference, and are as follows:

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FIELDS OF LABOR.	Conf. Budget	General Conf. Budget	West Phila.
Allentown, Linden St	\$225	\$225	
Allentown, Sixth St	30	60	
Annville	425	500	
Avon	130	200	
Bellegrove	225	200	
Berne	140	205	
Birdsboro	100	75	
Catawissa	200	75	
Centerville	130	100	
Chamber Hill	80	75	
Coatesville	55	50	
Columbia	400	375	
Cressona	105	100	
Denver	200	175	
Elizabethtown	185	250	
Ephrata	210	350	
Florin	110	100	
Grantville	200	100	
Halifax	160	130	
Harrisburg, First	400	400	
Harrisburg, Otterbein,	350	325	
Harrisburg, Derry St	430	750	
Harrisburg, State St	150	250	
Harrisburg, Sixth St	260	300	
Hershey	100	175	
Highspire	225	225	

FIELDS OF LABOR.	Conf.	General Conf.	Phila.
FIELDS OF LABOR.	Budget	Budget	West
Hillsdale	150	200	
Hopeland	185	200	
Hummelstown	255	375	
Intercourse	160	75	
Iona	130	150	
Jacksonville	115	100	
Jonestown	125	100	
Lancaster, Covenant	500	1,000	
Lancaster, N. Queen St	150	250	
Lancaster, Laurel Hill	15	15	
Lebanon, Salem	525	800	
Lebanon, Trinity	330	350	
Lebanon, Memorial	200	300	
Lebanon, Bethany	90	85	
Lebanon, West	75	75	
Lebanon, Pleasant Hill	130	120	
Lebanon, Hebron	60	100	
Lebanon, Circuit	100	115	
Linglestown	80	75	
Lititz	100	125	
Lykens	175	125	
Lykens Circuit	375	225	
Manheim	200	225	
Manor	180	100	
Middletown	210	225	
Millersburg	105	150	
Mont Clare	95	75	
Mt. Carmel	120	75	
Mt. Joy	205	225	
Mountville	252	350	
Myerstown	200	525	
Neffsville	85	75	
New Holland	250	250	
Northampton	7 5	50	
Oberlin	250	270	
Palmyra, First		270	
Palmyra, Second	80	100	
Penbrook	250	270	
Pequea	170	100	
Philadelphia, Mt. Pisgah	150	150	
Philadelphia, West	25	75	
Pinegrove	130	115	
Pottstown	80	75	
Reading, Zion	250	425	
Reading, Trinity	150	250	
Reading, Salem	200	350	
Refton	125	150	
Royalton	110	75	
Schaefferstown	35	75	
Schuylkill Haven	180	350	
Shamokin First	260	360	
Shamokin Circuit	200	300	
Steelton	500	750	
St. John's	200	200	
Sunbury	110	100	
Tremont	25	25	
Tower City	115	175	
Union	115	175	
Valley View	230	200	
Williamstown	100	75	
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Totals	\$15522	\$18500	•

The Committee on Applicants and Credentials reported as follows which was adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPLICANTS AND CREDENTIALS.

We, your Committee on Applicants and Credentials, have examined the applicants referred to us, as per Discipline, and beg to recommend as follows:

First—That Raymond H. Arndt, G. L. Blouch, C. L. Earley, Norman Fake, I. W. Funk, George W. Hallman, John O. Jones, C. R. Longenecker, Lloyd Martin, H. M. Mentzer, John W. Oakes, H. E. Schaeffer, H. A. Smith, H. E. Ulrich, C. Y. Ulrich, C. W. Schwalm, H. F. Boeshore, be granted Annual Conference license to preach.

Second—That H. H. Fertig, not having the required educational qualifications as required by Discipline, but in view of the fact that he has passed a good examination and served a pastorate acceptably, he be referred to this Conference for admission by vote.

Third—That William C. Shoop and J. Warren Kauffman, at their own request, be given letters of dismissal.

Fourth—That G. A. Ritchie, having withdrawn his membership from the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, his name be dropped from the roll of this Conference.

I. E. RUNK, A. S. LEHMAN, H. M. MILLER.

The Committee on First Year's Course of Study reported as follows, which was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FIRST YEAR'S COURSE OF STUDY.

The Committee on First Year's Course of Study examined the following licentiates and graded them as follows:

	Encyclopedic Handbook of the Bible	The Foreign Missionary	Extemporaneous Preaching	U. B. Church History Part I	Making of a Sermon	Sermon
Charles G. White,	90 85	90	92	91	94	90
O. T. Ehrhart, W. E. Shoop, C. S. Earley, J. W. Bomberger,	80		95	90 92 78	89 88 88	75

We recommend that W. E. Shoop, Charles G. White, P. M. Holdeman, and C. L. Earley pass to the Second Year's Course of Study.

That Clyde A. Lynch, O. T. Ehrhart, Mark G. Holtzman, Titus J. Leibold, P. B. Gibble, J. W. Bomberger, Martin Groff, C. E. Rettew, D. E. Young, J. R. MacDonald and O. R. Brooks, be retained in the First Year's Course of Study.

That W. H. Peiffer be referred to his quarterly conference as per Discipline.

That Jacob B. Glick, having completed the course at Bonebrake Theological Seminary, be referred to the Committee on Elder's Orders.

C. A. MUTCH, M. H. JONES, J. A. KEIPER, Committee.

The Committee on Second Year's Course of Study reported as follows, which was on motion adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SECOND YEAR'S COURSE OF STUDY.

The following licentiates were examined by the Committee on Second Year's Course of Study and graded as follows:

	Enclycopedic Handbook of the Bible	The Preacher	U. B. Church History	Doctrine of the Prophets	Exegetical Stud- ies in Galatians	Exegetical Studies in I and II Tim. and Titus	Sermon
W. E. Shoop,	92 85	90 83	95 89	90 80	91 82	90	94

We recommend that W. E. Shoop and J. F. Brown pass to the Third Year's Courst of Study. That J. L. Ohmacht, A. N. Ulrich, C. H. Holzinger and Ira D. Lowery be retained in the Second Year's Course of Study.

E. O. BURTNER, H. F. RHOAD, JOSEPH DAUGHERTY.

The Committee on Third Year's Course of Study reported as follows, which was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THIRD YEAR'S COURSE OF STUDY.

The Committee on Third Year's Course of Study examined the following licentiates, and graded them as follows:

	The Christian Faith	Psychology	The Christian Pastor	The Elements of the Higher Criticism.	Church History	Amos	Philippians	Sermon
G. W. Hess,	80	80	80	72	$egin{array}{c c} 70 \\ 92 \\ \hline \end{array}$	85 95	85 98	80 90

We recommend that G. W. Hess and R. E. Morgan pass to the Fourth Year's Course of Study.

I. H. ALBRIGHT,

A. G. NYE,

A. K. WIER.

The Committee on Fourth Year's Course of Study reported as follows, which was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOURTH YEAR'S COURSE OF STUDY.

The Committee on Fourth Year's Course of Study examined the following licentiate; and graded him as follows:

	Pedagogical Bible School	The Christian Faith	New Testament Theology	Sermon
R. E. Morgan,	90	80	82	85

R. E. Morgan, having completed the Course of Study, we recommend that he pass to the Committee on Elder's Orders.

C. ENCK, S. DAUGHERTY, M. WALTERS,

Committee.

The Committee on Elders' Orders reported as follows, which was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ELDERS' ORDERS.

The Committee on Elders' Orders examined R. E. Morgan and J. B. Glick, er Discipline, and found them sound in doctrine. We therefore recommend they be ordained to the office of elder in the Church of the United Brethren in Christ.

I. H. ALBRIGHT, L. R. KRAMER, J. B. FUNK.

The report on "The Bible" was presented by M. H. Jones. It was adopted and is as follows:

Bible Cause.

The Bible is given to us by God. It is His will that the sayings of ancient prophets and apostles should be the lamp for all ages. Therefore He will bless the right reading of the Bible, and He will call us to account for the use we make of it. The Christian believes that "holy scripture containeth all things necessary to salvation." Consequently he has no sympathy with so-called theologians in the free use of their penknives. They cut out of the Bible all that is not in accord with their favorite ideas. St. Paul said, "We can do nothing against the truth, but for it." For the Bible can neither be bound nor burned. It has been cut into fragments, cast into flames, and treated with every conceivable form of opprobrium; but thank God, we have it to-day, a living and mighty factor in the lives of the foremost men and nations throughout the world. In our own Keystone State we now have a law regulating the reading of the Bible in our public schools, requiring each teacher to read at least ten verses from the Bible at the opening of every public school day. With confidence we look forward to the time when "the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

The report on Sabbath Schools was presented by Z. A. Weidler, which was adopted. It is as follows:

REPORT ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

During three years of the past quadrennium, of which we have reports, considerably more than one-half of the persons uniting with the Church on profession of faith have come from the Sunday School, thus verifying the statement that "the Sunday School of to-day is the Church of to-morrow."

The general progressiveness and advanced vision of the church to-day, relating to all the world movements in moral and civic reforms, has largely received its impetus from the many coming into her fold, who have received a

life training in righteousness from the "cradle roll" to full stature in Christ Jesus.

conserve this force, preserve its usefulness, utilize its power.

RESOLVED, First, That we place our Sunday Schools in the front line in organization, following the most approved and successful methods that are now in vogue or shall be suggested in teaching, seeking efficiency in spirit, and understanding as well. In results, seeking to lead every Sunday School scholar to

standing as well. In results, seeking to lead every Sunday School scholar to Christ and the Church.

Second, That we supply our schools with our own literature, and emphasize its value in indoctrinating a love and loyalty for the Church.

Third, That we extend to Dr. C. W. Brewbaker, our newly elected General Secretary of the Sunday School Board, our hearty co-operation in carrying out his plans and purposes in the Sunday School work of the denomination, so as to give unity of purpose and concentration of effort in maintaining our present high achievements and placing before us "ever onward" as our goal.

The report on Home Missions was presented by S. C. Enck. It was adopted and is as follows:

HOME MISSIONS.

The great and last command of Jesus to his disciples shortly before his ascension was, "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." Acts 1:8.

The first and most important element was power, the Holy Ghost. Without these, the work so nobly begun would have ceased.

The second, that which necessarily followed the endowment or infilling by the Holy Ghost was witnessing, bearing glowing testimony to the riches, majesty and glory of Jesus Christ.

And third, the place in which the witnessing was to be done was first, at home, in Jerusalem, the largest and most important city, the metropolis of Palestine; second, in Judea the country surrounding the city of Jerusalem; and third, in the adjoining state or territory and thus they were to continue to bear testimony, making disciples, preaching Christ and him crucified unto the uttermost parts of the earth.

The rock bottom secret of the success of the Church two thousand years ago is equally applicable to-day. The same power, or infilling of the Holy Ghost, is as essential now as then. It behooves the Church to plant and to water, then look to God for the increase.

The program as arranged by Jesus was to begin at home in the largest and most important city, from the city to the surrounding country, then the adjoining state and thus to the uttermost parts of the earth.

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1. Local—Those that pertain to or are within the bounds of our Annual Conference.

2. Those that are beyond the bounds of our Conference and pertain to the Church in general throughout the United States.

The success of the general home work depends upon the general home work. The success of the general home work depends upon the local work wrought within the Conference and local church. People are moving into the cities by thousands. Immigrants come to our shores by the million. Heathen temples are being erected in our cities, so that it is time for the Church to pray for power, and after the Holy Ghost is manifested in the Church that it witness and evangelize, establish churches, and stop the continual loss to the Church of the best and most helpful people who were converted at our altars, who filled some of the most prominent places in our churches with great credit, who moved into the large cities and were lost to God and the Church. The tide is flowing towards the cities, and if the Church means to be a soul saving institution, it must follow the people. We want no less churches in the rural districts, but more in the cities.

Whereas the boundary of the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference comprises such a large and exceedingly promising territory with open doors and opportunities second to none in the United States, with its large and growing cities like Scranton, Pottsville, Wilkes-barre, Easton, Bethlehem, West Chester, Trenton, Camden, Wilmington, etc., in which there is not a single United Brethren Church, and Philadelphia, the third largest city in the Union, with a population of over a million—where hundreds of United Brethren families move every year—with only two United Brethren churches, and they twelve miles apart, with 20,000 United Brethren members living within a distance of one hundred miles of the cities mentioned; and

Whereas, "The speedy christianization of America is the supreme need in the world evangelization" and to which purpose East

Second—That it is the sense of East Pennsylvania Annual Conference to set apart more money and manifest a deeper interest in establishing missions, in obedience to the command of Jesus to begin first at Jerusalem—the large and negeleted cities of our Conference territory—then the adjoining and neglected rural districts, towns and villages, and continue to the needy and Christless territory of America as well as to the uttermost parts of the earth.

Third—That it is the sense of this Conference that the General Home Missionary Board return 25 per cent. of its annual receipts from this Conference to the Conference for the support of another mission church in West Philadelphia, which has a population of 300,000, with hundreds of United Brethren families residing in the city—a large number unchurched—and hundreds moving there yearly only to be lost to the Church. Common sense teaches us to husband our forces and put forth every effort to stop the wholesale leakage. That if we give three-fourths of the money collected to the General Board and retain one-fourth for our home work it is more than scriptural.

Fourth—That we hail with delight the success of our missions in the middle West and Pacific coast and pray that during this quadrennium missions may be established in all the leading cities of the United States including the promising cities within the territory of East Pennsylvania Conference. That Home Missionary training classes be organized and literature distributed presenting to the eye as well as to the heart the possibility of winning America for Christ.

Fifth—That it is the sense of this Conference that we pay special attention.

Fifth—That it is the sense of this Conference that we pay special attention to our local home work because the general work depends largely upon the success of the local work and the foreign work upon both.

The report on Foreign Missions was presented by G. D. Batdorf and was adopted. It is as follows:

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The past twelve months have been full of significance for the world kingdom of our Lord. Christian hearts everywhere were deeply stirred by the appeal of the Chinese government to the Christians of that republic to set apart April 27 as a day of special prayer for the nation. Very significant also is the strong fight that continues against the opium traffic and the growing desire for western education.

Our missionaries report that not in the past fifteen years has there been such a readiness to hear the gospel. Our schools are crowded beyond their capacity, and many doors long closed are now open for the entrance of the gospel.

In our other fields also the outlook is such as to challenge the heartiest co-operation of the home churches. For instance, at the last session of our Philippine Mission Conference a forward movement was begun by which the native churches will support their own representative in a mountain district, and in West Africa this year many of the local churches are making a substantial advance towards self-support. The growing strength of the native churches is a cause for real rejoicing. During the last eight years the number of ordained native preachers increased from 4 to 24, the organized churches from 38 to 95, the communicant membership from 1429 to 5484, and the Sunday School enrollment from 2,243 to 6,508.

The Call of the Hour.

The reinforcement of the present staff of foreign workers and larger equipment for the work is the demand of the hour. Seven new workers are needed immediately. There are twenty-seven districts with populations ranging from 10,000 to 100,000 in each of which we have an organized church, but no suitable church building. To make our work permanent, we must help build suitable chapels and churches. In addition, eight missionary residences, one hospital, one dispensary, and four school buildings should be provided just as soon as possible.

The first essential is the raising of the full apportionment for foreign missions and for the other benevolences this year. The support of the present work is all important but we ought not stop there. That is the minimum. Each charge should aim to do its best.

By giving our people such facts as are presented in "The Call of China and the Islands" and in the new book, "The Emergency in China" the pressing demands of our foreign work can readily be met.

A mighty volume of prayer, larger gifts of money and the consecration of lives to foreign service will result from the wholehearted observance of the special foreign missionary quarter January, February and March, 1914, with "The New Era in Asia as the Theme." A special effort should be made to permeate every Sunday School with a deep missionary spirit.

The report on Church Erection was presented by A. S. Lehman and was adopted. It is as follows:

REPORT OF CHURCH ERECTION.

The interests of the Church Erection Society of our denomination have been emphasized before this body for forty-four years.

Its claims have always been heard with interest and our sympathy and support pledged to it as a vital factor in the extension of the Kingdom and our denomination.

We rejoice in its accomplishments, too small indeed when we think of the possibilities for humanity and the church we love, and record our appre-ciation of the accelerated strength it has gained during the latter, quadrenniums

ciation of the accelerated strength it has gained during the latter, quadrenniums of its history.

We endorse the policy of Church Erection in entering the growing centers of population, whither many of our people have gone, to help them establish The Church of the United Brethren in Christ, as being vital to our Church's conservation and growth.

We realize the funds for Church Erection have been inadequate to meet the opportunities and demands. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

First—That we reaffirm our loyalty to the General Church Erection Society and will do all we can to extend its work, in reporting our local budgets complete, and encouraging special gifts to said Society.

Second—That we express our appreciation of the arduous work done by the retiring secretary, Dr. H. S. Gabel, in bringing the affairs of the society to the high water mark of efficiency and welcome him into the fellowship of our itinerancy.

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Third—That we pledge our continued support of Church Erection to the present Secretary, Dr. A. C. Siddall, and express the hope that the interests of the Society may be largely enhanced during his administration.

Fourth—That it is the sense of this Conference that all obligations with the Society be met promptly so as not to embarrass this important branch of our church work.

The Committee on Nominations reported as follows, which was adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS.

Conference Treasurer

(Vote for One)

S. F. Engle M. S. Hendricks

Trustees of Anti-Saloon League

(Vote for Two)

B. F. Daugherty

C. A. Snavely H. L. Carl G. W. Parks

Trustees of Conference Preachers Aid Society

(Vote for Six)

D. S. Longenecker

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H. M. Miller
C. A. Mutch
H. E. Miller
I. H. Albright
P. L. Haines
A. G. Nye
I. N. Seldomridge
S. S. Daugherty
H. F. Rhoad
A. Lehman

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Conference Branch Home Missionary Society

(Vote for Three)

I. Moyer Hershey Joseph Daugherty A. S. Lehman C. E. Boughter S. E. Rupp Oliver Mease

Trustees of Russel Biblical Fund

(Vote for Five)

R. S. Arndt B. M. Brenemen E. E. Bender
W. W. Fridinger
P. M. Holdeman
A. L. Haeseler
H. M. Trautman
H. S. Kiefer
C. W. Miller
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Z. A. Weidler O. P. Beckley S. B. Wengert H. J. Behney

Court of Appeals

J. A. Lyter M. H. Jones S. S. Daugherty J. A. Keiper

Professor Russell Biblieal Chair

(Vote for One)

G. F. Bierman D. D. Brandt

Managers of the Conference Missionary and Church Extension Society

(Vote for Three)

D. D. Lowery

G. D. Batdorf J. A. Lyter R. R. Butterwick A. K. Wier

A. K. Wier J. A. Keiper

Conference Historal Secretary

(Vote for One)

I. H. Albright H. F. Rhoad

Editor of Conference Herald

(Vote for One)

D. D. Lowery M. H. Wert

Sunday School Board

(Vote for Five)

Clarence Mease

(Vote for Two)

Publication Board (Vote for Six)	Conference Commission on Christian Stewardship
D. D. Lowery J. A. Lyter I. N. Seldomridge S. C. Enck G. D. Batdorf E. O. Burtner S. F. Engle	(Vote for Three) S. R. Grabill J. F. Hilbert S. C. Snoke Miss Susan Balsbaugh Miss Mary Leob Mrs. J. M. Heagy
H. E. Miller P. H. Balsbaugh C. E. Boughter E. A. G. Bossler A. Lehman	Educational Board (One Year—Vote for One) J. T. Spangler O. T. Ehrhart
Conference Branch Foreign Missionary Committee (Note for Three)	(Two Years—Vote for One) R. R. Butterwick
(Vote for Three) G. D. Batdorf S. E. Rupp C. A. Mutch A. S. Beckley D. D. Brandt E. E. Bender	J. M. Walters (One Year—Vote for One) A. S. Kreider H. L. Carl (Two Years—Vote for One)
Committee on Inter-Church Federation (Vote for Two)	C. S. Yeager H. L. Kinports
N. L. Linebaugh D. D. Buddinger H. M. Miller C. W. Miller	Trustees of Lebanon Valley College (One Year—Vote for Three) G. F. Breinig I. B. Haak
Conference Finance Commission (Vote for Three) D. D. Lowery	John Hunsicker, Sr. Dr. Seth A. Light J. L. Straub M. S. Hendricks
S. C. Enck H. M. Miller H. S. Gabel A. K. Wier B. F. Daugherty	(Two Years—Vote for One) H. H. Hoy S. C. Snoke
(Vote for Three) S. F. Engle Robert Enders J. H. Stern D. M. Weidman S. R. Grabill H. S. Immel	(Three Years—Vote for Three) D. D. Lowery R. R. Butterwick E. O. Burtner E. A. G. Bossler J. G. Stehman G. A. Stangle

The election for Conference officers and officers of the various Conference societies and organizations resulted as follows:

Conference Treasurer	Trustees of Russel Biblical Fund
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CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS, 1913.

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C. Snoke

Miss Susan Balsbaugh

Educational Board

(One Year)

J. T. Spangler

(Two Years)

R. R. Butterwick

(One Year)

A. S. Kreider

(Two Years)

H. L. Kinports

Trustees of Lebanon Valley College

(One Year)

G. F. Breinig I. B. Haak Dr. Seth A. Light

(Two Years)

S. C. Snoke

(Three Years)

D. D. Lowery R. R. Butterwick E. O. Burtner

The following recommendation of the Committee on Nominations was also on motion approved:

We recommend that the Alumni trustees of Lebanon Valley College, elected at the last Alumni Association of the said College, be ratified by this Conference.

C. W. Stinespring, Field Agent of the Quincy Orphanage, addressed the Conference in the interest of that institution.

The second day, morning session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. F. Musselman.

SECOND DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

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The second day, afternoon session of the Conference convened at 1.30 Devotional exercises were conducted by A. H. Boughter.

The following resolutions relative to Reading Trinity church were adopted:

RESOLUTIONS OF AUTHORIZATION TO READING TRINITY CHURCH.

Whereas no definite action has been taken by our Reading Trinity congregation on the matter of permanent location, therefore be it RESOLVED:

First—That at such time as shall be deemed best and proper, and in the presence and under the direction of the Conference Superintendent, vote shall be taken by the congregation of said Trinity Church on the question of relocation.

Second—That after favorable action, by majority of said congregation, present and voting, has been taken to relocate, they be hereby authorized to secure a site, subject to the approval of the Conference Church Extension and Missionary Society, for the erection thereon of a church building and parsonage, if the same shall be deemed advisable.

Third—That said congregation having fully decided to re-locate, as aforesaid, the Board of Trustees of said Trinity Church of Reading, Pennsylvania, be and is hereby authorized to dispose of their real estate or church properties in the City of Reading, in part or as a whole, for the best price possible, and the balance of the proceeds arising from said sales, after the payment of all indebtedness against said property, shall be used and expended in the purchase of a new church site and the erection of a new church building and parsonage sonage.

Fourth—That the parsonage property, No. 519 North Ninth Street, in the City of Reading, shall be sold by the Board of Trustees of said parsonage to the best advantage and the proceeds or fund arising from the sale shall be placed in a church or parsonage building fund, and shall be held sacred for

that purpose.

I. N. SELDOMRIDGE.

The following report on Education was presented by R. R. Butterwick and was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Man moves Godward no faster than he knows. Progress along all lines is contingent upon knowledge. Knowledge is the combined product of certain educational forces. The character of man's knowledge is determined by the moral standard of the forces responsible for his education.

The function of education is constructive. As such it lies at the basis

The function of education is constructive. As such it lies at the basis of all constructive work.

Education is the life of religion. Religion is promoted by processes of education. The potency or impotency of religion depends upon the dissemination of the correct principles of religion as set forth in the Bible.

The mission of the church, like that of the school, is to teach, "Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I commanded you"; "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." "I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now. How be it when he, the Spirit of truth is come, he shall guide (teach) you unto all the truth."

We agree with Count Okuma of Japan, when he says: "Any nation that neglects the spiritual in the education of its citizens, though it may flourish for a time, must eventually decay. The origin of modern civilization is to be found in the teaching of the Sage of Judea, by whom alone the moral dynamic is supplied."

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1. To promote the cause of true religion the Church must foster education.

2. To foster education the Church must equip and maintain institutions of learning which will emphasize the spiritual life; and, at the same time afford such educational facilities as will make her schools the equal, if not superior, in advantage of all other schools. The Church should offer nothing but the best. She is not true to her mission by offering anything less than the best.

3. No school is sufficiently equipped which does not have an income from endowment which, together with its current income, will meet the annual budget of expenses. Therefore be it RESOLVED:

First—That in harmony with the action of the Board of Trustees of Lebanon Valley College, we give our hearty approval to the President and Field Secretary of Lebanon Valley College in their effect to secure an endowment fund of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars by June, 1916; and that we invite the representative of the College to our respective fields of labor to canvass for funds for this worthy cause.

Second—That we co-operate with Dr. J. E. Fout, Business Manager of Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton, Ohio, in his efforts to increase the efficiency of our school of the prophets.

Third—That we co-operate with Dr. W. E. Schell, General Secretary of Education, in his efforts to stimulate the cause of Education in our Church.

In connection with the above President Gossard, of Lebanon Valley College, presented his Annual Report, which was adopted; and is as follows:

REPORT OF LEBANON VALLEY COLLEGE.

Believing that education is absolutely essential to the symmetrical development of young people and the Church, we have done our utmost to make Lebanon Valley College the best possible during the year.

With the opening of the year there have been only two changes in the faculty. Prof. C. C. Peters, after his re-election, resigned to accept the superintendency of the schools at Royersford, Pennsylvania. Prof. George H. Pritchard, Physical Director, declined re-election and his place was filled by the election of Prof. Roy Guyer, an alumnus of Lebanon Valley. '08, and also of the Springfield Young Men's Christian Association College, '13.

The College had a splendid opening this Fall, and the outlook for a successful year is very good. In attendance, all departments are increased over last year, and especially in the College and Music departments.

In the four college classes we have the largest enrollment in the history

of the school. The freshman class numbers more than fifty, and the Women's

Dormitory could not accommodate all the young women.

The college atmosphere is splendid, and all the students have expressed their appreciation of the improvements made to the various buildings, under the direction of the Executive Committee.

Improvements

The Engle Conservatory of Music was frescoed throughout, the Women's Dormitory was frescoed and papered with the exception of the parlors, and the Men's Dormitory was frescoed throughout.

By the consent of the Executive Committee, the Alumni Association is placing a Gymnasium in the south end of the Administration Building. This will meet a long-felt need in the student body and is greatly appreciated by them all. This is truly magnanimous on the part of the Alumni.

A cinder track has been made in the athletic field.

The improvements at the farms which had been begun last year were completed early this year.

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Condition of Buildings.

The buildings are in a fairly good state of repair, but will need painting on the outside and inside in the near future.

Finances.

Bonded Indebtedness—Our bonded indebtedness is about \$40,000. There are notes and subscriptions amounting to about \$38,000 to offset this. About \$12,000

of this can never be collected.

The amount of money borrowed for repairs last year on the college property and farms plus the deficit in current expenses for two years aggregates about \$25,000.

Some plan must certainly be devised whereby the current expenses can be met each year. The co-operating Conferences must come to the rescue if this is to be done.

Endowment and Current Expense Fund.

At the last regular meeting of Board of Trustees in June the following action was taken with practically all the members of the Board present, "that we do it? Will we do it? We can do it if we will. Brethren, if Lebanon ment and Current Expense Fund till June 1916, which marks the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the College."

This is a big proposition and means hard work and sacrifice. It is a challenge to the intelligence and generosity of the Church in the East. Can we do it? Will we do it? We can do it if we will. Brethren, if Lebanon Valley College is to live and do its duty as a Church School, then these Conferences must rally to its support, and every member must be interested, not only with good wishes and prayers, but with wishes and prayers in action, which means dollars and cents to pay the bills and to build up a permanent fund.

Every pastor and church member should be made to realize his personal obligations not only to Home Missions, and Foreign Missions and Church Erection and other general church interests, but to Education also, and to Lebanon Valley College in particular.

Individuals, Sunday schools, young peoples' societies, local churches, conferences, should give, not spasmodically, but systematically and regularly, for the need will never end.

The poor should give their mites and the rich of their abundance. Cooperation spells success. Anything else than co-operation spells failure.

We shall be in five years what you plan for to-day. You have the honor to hold the keys. Will you unlock the door? Will you open the way? God grant that you may.

That our Gracious Heavenly Father may raise up many friends to the

that you may.

That our Gracious Heavenly Father may raise up many friends to the College, and that it may be put in such a condition so as to fulfill God's will in its existence, and that it may prove a blessing to every United Brethren in the co-operating Conferences is my sincere wish and prayer.

Addresses on Education were delivered by W. E. Schell, D. D., General Secretary of Education, Drs. S. S. Hough, W. R. Funk, Bishop Weekly; on Lebanon Valley College-President Gossard, Drs. Lowery, Runk, Butterwick, Daugherty, Albright, Spangler, Revs. Burtner, Buddinger, Schroyer and Hon. A. S. Kreider; on Bonebrake Theological Seminary, Rev. S. D. Faust, D. D.

The following resolution relative to Lebanon Valley College was adopted:

RESOLVED, That we, the East Pennsylvania Conference Educational Association earnestly ask this Conference to give special attention to the work of education as represented by Lebanon Valley College and that the Bishop and

Conference Superintendent especially urge every pastor and charge to enter upon a campaign of education and agitation for the endowment of Lebanon Valley College.

The following were referred to the Committee on Applicants and Credentials for reference to the Board of Education for aid: T. J. Leibold, H. E. Schaeffer, Phares B. Gibble, George W. Hallman, Raymond H. Arndt, G. L. Blouch, John W. Oakes, Harry F. Boeshore.

On motion the Recording Secretary of the Conference was appointed secretary of the Committees on Course of Study.

The second day, afternoon session of the Conference adjourned.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

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The third day, morning session of the Conference convened at 8.30 o'clock. Devotional exercises were conducted by Z. A. Weidler. After the devotional service, the Conference took a recess until 9.30 o'clock, to give an opportunity to the lay delegates to hold a meeting.

After the recess.

R. E. Morgan and J. B. Glick were referred to the Committee on Elders' Orders.

By general consent the Finance Committee's report was so amended as to make the Conference Superintendent's salary \$2,250 for the coming year.

The Preachers' Aid Society presented the following report and recommended the following appropriations, which were on motion approved:

J. W. Boughter\$60.00	Mrs. Ella Lehman,\$50.00
Rev. J. Runk 80.00	Mrs. Annie Light 50.00
Rev. J. Shoop 50.00	Mrs. Joel Light 50.00
Rev. J. Binkley	Mrs. Cassadella Peters 60.00
Rev. F. J. Butterwick 75.00	Mrs. Mary Uhler 50.00
Rev. U. Gambler	Mrs. C. O. Lehr 40.00
Mrs. Marie Craumer 60.00	Mrs. Chas. Bauer 25.00
Mrs. S. M. Hummel 50.00	Mrs. J. P. Smith 25.00
Mrs. J. R. Meredith 75.00	Mrs. P. A. Bowman 75.00
Mrs. I. Baltzell 75.00	Mrs. U. S. G. Renn 50.00
Mrs. J. B. Daugherty 50.00	Mrs. H. F. McNelly, 50.00

Upon recommendation of the Committee on Applicants and Credentials the following were recommended to the Board of Education for aid: Titus J. Leibold, H. E. Schaeffer, Phares B. Gibble, George W. Hallman, Raymond W. Arndt, G. L. Blouch, Harry F. Oakes, Harry F. Boeshore, D. E. Young.

The third day, morning session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. S. D. Faust, D.D., Prof. in Bonebrake Theological Seminary.

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THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The third day, afternoon session of the Conference convened at 1.30 o'clock. Devotional services were conducted by Dr. H. S. Gabel.

The following report on The Home was presented by A. L. Haeseler, which was approved.

THE HOME.

The home is one of the greatest problems of to-day, because it occupies such an important place in the making of the community, the church, and the nation.

The home is the oldest of Divine institutions, dating back to the beginning when God made man, "He made them male and female, and for this cause shall a man leave father and mother, and shall cleave to his wife, and they twain shall be one flesh." "What therefore God has joined together let not man put asunder." Thus marriage and the family are divinely appointed. One cannot exist without the other. Where there is no marriage there is no family and where there is no family there is no home.

Our idea of the home is enlarged and enriched by our knowledge of the Father-hood of God, the mother-hood of God and the Sonship of Christ, giving to us the relationship of the Father to the children, the mother to her children and the children to their parents, so as to accomplish the great purpose of God on the earth. The father stands in relation to the home as its head, attending to law and regulation in the home. The mother with her finer sensitive nature fills the home with warm love and tender affection, the son exercises obedience to the will of his parents. This is God's purpose in the home. This organized institution must be divinely guided if it shall fill its mission in sending out well rounded men and women with strong character to play their part in enriching the morals of society, the stamping out of civil corruption and making the Church what Christ intended it to be, the great soul saving agency in hastening the day when the will of God shall be done as in Heaven so on Earth.

It is impossible for the Church life to rise higher than the home life. The woman who speaks of her Heavenly home in church and makes a hell of her earthly home, becomes a stumbling-block and an encouragement of infidelity to the world of unbelievers. The man who speaks as "with tongues of Angels" in church and talks to his family like a demon, is in need of regeneration by the power of the Holy Spirit.

If the home should lose its prestige and fall short of its mission, what would be the hope of the Church, Society, Government and th

fusion and chaos.

It behooves us to lay more emphasis on the importance of the home life, so as to maintain the sacredness which it claims. The ideal home in which faith, hope and love abound should be our motto. These three great essentials of the home must abound if it would realize its highest ideal. The sacred fire upon the hearth should burn brightly every day in the year. The family altar should be jealously guarded and encouraged lest it be neglected and become a serious loss to the home and its mission. God's word, the light and guide on life's pathway should be daily and faithfully sought as food and strength, wisdom and guidance for the soul.

It is the duty of every Christian and lover of the home to fight the foes of the home, the divorce evil, the liquor traffic, the social evils and the disrespect of children for their parents. Our sons and daughters should be taught the strength, the sacredness and the life-long binding of the marriage vow. The marriage relationship must be entered into with an overwhelming sense of Divine approval and Divine purpose. They should be taught of the evil of indulging in alcoholic drinks, thereby creating a hatred against the liquor traffic. They should be taught of the gross evil and degenerating effect of infidelity and social impurity upon the individual, the home, the Church and the Nation

Parental authority should be exercised to avoid disorder and confusion and save our sons and daughters from death. One of the greatest foes of the home is the failure in the execution of parental authority, when children become master and parents servants. This greatly helps to belittle the child's respect and confidence in parents and his conception of the authority and power of God. Many wayward boys and girls might be saved if the homes were controlled by parental authority and example in faith, hope and love.

The following report on the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was presented by A. G. Nye and adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The key-note of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor is training. We understand it to be a training class for and in the expression of the religious life.

The necessity of such training is recognized by every Christian worker. Continued emphasis should be placed upon the organization of societies where these privileges may be granted. Where they do exist the demand of the times is that they be made more efficient.

The Young People's Society is not an organization by itself as an end, to spend its energy upon itself for its own maintenance. It is an organized means of training, the influence of which is to be spent and felt upon the whole congregation of which it is a part.

Therefore be it RESOLVED,

1. That as pastors and lay-men we seek to direct Christian Endeavor Societies to train for efficient service in all departments of the work of the congregation.

2. That we impress the necessity of loyalty to church interests, of an earnest devotion to prayer and Bible reading, of renouncing worldly attractions, and

of living the self-surrendered life "for the glory of God and the salvation of men.

3. That courses of study be taken up by our young people whereby they may become better acquainted with the missionary field and its need, and thus be enabled more intelligently to carry out the Master's commission.

4. That we instruct, by precept and example, in the Scriptural method of giving—systematically, proportionately, cheerfully and liberally.

5. That we put forth every effort to make our Junior societies not a kindergarten for children, but a training school for boys and girls.

6. That we continue our support to the Watchword and help to extend its helpfulness by securing a larger circulation.

The report on Publishing Interests was presented by E. A. G. Bossler and was adopted:

REPORT ON PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

A noted lecturer declared recently that the three greatest educative agencies in the world are the pulpit, the press and the theater. This fact embraces their power for good and for evil as well. The power of the press, which is the great agency which immediately concerns us just now, is unquestioned; for it promotes intelligence, furnishes inspiration, moulds public sentiment, and builds character. Some one has truthfully said, "Tell me what you read and I will tell you what you are."

A great reason for its mighty influence is the enormous output of the press. "Of the making of many books there is no end," nor should there be while there are great facts and problems to present and discuss and solve, and wills to be swayed for truth and righteousness. Magazines almost beyond computation flood the land, while papers, booklets and tracts are disseminated like the countless falling leaves of Autumn.

RESOLVED, therefore, That we contemplate with genuine pleasure the important place which our Publishing House holds in the great work of the diffusion of intelligence and the building of character; and that we point with just denominational pride to the great building in which our publishing interests are housed, and its splendid equipment; and that we regard this department as one of the greatest material assets of the Church.

That we hereby express once again our utmost confidence in the efficient management of the institution under the fine leadership of our tried and true publishing agent, Dr. W. R. Funk.

That we were moved with profound sorrow at the news of the disastrous loss to the House; but now sincerely rejoice in its rapid recovery from these disastrous effects; and that we specially commend Dr. Funk, upon whom a great share of the burden fell, for his heroic and masterful dealing with the difficult and trying situation, and that we hereby pledge him our loyal support in the task of reconstruction.

That we commend the editors of our various periodicals, the Religious telescope, Woman's Evangel, Sunday-A noted lecturer declared recently that the three greatest educative agencies

The Circulation Manager of the Conference Herald reported as follows which was adopted:

REPORT OF CONFERENCE PUBLICATION BOARD.

The Circulation Manager of the Conference Herald is pleased to report The Circulation Manager of the Conference Herald is pleased to report that there has been an increase in subscriptions during the year. The number of subscriptions now on the list is 2,684. The appointment having the highest number of subscriptions (112) is Shamokin, A. S. Beckley, pastor. The next highest (92) is Sixth Street, Harrisburg, Pa., P. H. Balsbaugh, pastor. The third highest (85) Oberlin, Pa., C. E. Boughter, pastor. Sixty-one appointments fell below their apportionment, and 32 fell below their number of last year. Twenty-four exceeded their apportionment and thirty-one had an increase over last year. About 300 more subscriptions would put the Conference Herald in a splendid financial condition, and materially help in the publication of the Conference Minutes ference Minutes.

I. N. SELDOMRIDGE, Circulation Manager.

In connection with the above the following recommendation of the Board of Publication was approved:

The Board of Publication recommends that hereafter the expense of distributing the Conference Minutes be paid from the Contingent Fund of the Conference.

The following report on Temperance was presented by Oliver L. Mease, and after an address by E. J. Moore, D. D., State Superintendent, of the Anti-Saloon League, it was adopted:

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

Intemperance, especially as it relates to intoxicating liquors, is a monstrous evil, eating out the vitals of nations, destroying the happiness and peace of our homes, damning men's souls by the thousands and tens of thousands, and lading the whole social atmosphere with the stench of its immorality and the multiplicity of its illicit progeny. Of the saloon Dr. Robert J. Burdette has said: "I do not know one good thing about the saloon. It is an evil thing in all its history to commend it to good men. It breaks the laws of God and man; it desecrates the Sabbath; it profanes the name of religion; it defies public order; it tramples under foot the tenderest feelings of humanity; it is a moral pestilence that blights the very atmosphere of town and country; it is a stain upon honesty; a blur upon purity; a clog upon progress; a check upon the noble impulses; it is an incentive to falsehood, deceit and crime. From such a hateful fountain can there ever flow a clear stream?"

In view of the fact that such is the evil of intemperance, be it RESOLVED:

can there ever flow a clear stream?"

In view of the fact that such is the evil of intemperance, be it RESOLVED:

1. That God's people pray unto their Lord more earnestly for the speedy removal of this curse from our midst.

2. That as a Conference we pledge our most hearty support to the Anti-Saloon League and every other agency that is working consistently for the overthrow of the saloon.

3. That we rejoice in the good news that the Anti-Saloon League proposes to launch a campaign for national prohibition at the Jubilee Convention to be held at Columbus, November 10-13, and that we give this advanced movement our heartiest support.

4. That we continue to preach against intemperance in all of its forms.

The lay delegates of the Conference presented the following report which was on motion adopted:

REPORT OF THE LAY DELEGATES.

A meeting of the lay delegates of the 114th session of the East Pennsylvania Conference was held with H. L. Kinports, of Annville, presiding. Dr. Lowery, Conference Superintendent, addressed the meeting and gave helpful suggestions.

The various methods of finance used by the churches represented were

discussed.

discussed.

The weekly system of giving was encouraged. Thirty-seven of the congregations represented in the meeting use the weekly system and eight do not use it. On motion the budget system of finance as ordered by the General and Annual Conference was endorsed. The Bishop was commended for the spiritual note he sounded throughout the Conference.

It was recommended that each charge pay the entertainment expenses of its pastor and delegate to the Annual Conference.

It was recommended to the Conference that the pastors who shall be appointed to the different charges be instructed to spend as much time as possible on their charges.

The following resolution was presented to the laymen and unanimously

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The following resolution was presented to the laymen and unanimously adopted:

In view of the pressing need of Lebanon Valley College for an Endowment Fund, and in view of the full information concerning the College now in possession of the Conference, and because of the interest aroused, and in harmony with the resolutions adopted by Conference on the subject, therefore be it RESOLVED, That a committee composed of Bishop W. M. Weekley, D. D., Rev. W. E. Schell, D. D., Rev. D. D. Lowery, D. D., Rev. W. H. Washinger, D. D., Rev. A. S. Hammack, D. D., Rev. D. D. Gossard, D. D., be and is hereby appointed to take full charge of and formulate and execute plans which will result in the raising of an adequate endowment fund for Lebanon Valley College at the earliest possible date.

Be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of the above resolution be presented to the Pennsylvania Annual Conference with a request for its adoption at their session.

at their session.

KATIE COLDREN, Secretary.

The Auditing Committee reported as follows, which was adopted:

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Allentown, October 3, 1913.

This is to certify that we examined all the accounts of the Conference Treasurer and find the same correct, and the books and accounts are all in good shape.

GEORGE F. BREINIG, M. H. JONES.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF CONFERENCE PUBLICATION BOA	ARD.
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REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE TREASURER.	
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	By cash Appropriation for Minimum Salary,		\$1,172	50
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1912.	Dr.		
Oct. 2. Oct. 2. Oct. 2. Oct. 2. Oct. 25. 1913.	To cash Recording Secretaries and expenses, To cash Statistical Secretaries and expenses, To cash Press Committee and expenses, To cash Treasurer's salary,	\$90 53 36 51 17 10 150 00 31 87	
Apr. 16. July 18. Oct. 1. Oct. 1. Oct. 1. Oct. 2.	To cash General Conference expenses, To cash Taxes on Harrisburg lot, To cash Board expenses, To cash Printing and postage, To cash Bond of Treasurer, To cash Balance,	$\begin{array}{cccc} 750 & 00 \\ 53 & 54 \\ 152 & 09 \\ 82 & 59 \\ 12 & 50 \\ 720 & 58 \end{array}$	\$ 9.007 '91
Oct. 2.	By cash balance,	\$720 58	\$2,097 31
	Parsonage Fund.		
1913.	Cr.		4
July 20.	By cash Harrisburg Derry St.,		\$5 00
1913. Sept. 10.	To cash L. O. Miller,		\$5 00
	Quincy Orphanage.		4
1912. Dec. 20.	Cr.	* 00 00	
Dec. 20. 1913.	By cash Manor,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Jan. 20.	By cash Steelton,	162 62	•
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Valley View,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 30 & 42 \\ 5 & 50 \end{array}$	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Highspire,	$\begin{array}{ccc}20&00\\5&00\end{array}$	
Jan. 20.	By cash Mt. Joy,	40 00	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Lebanon Pleasant Hill,	$\begin{array}{c} 8 & 00 \\ 46 & 25 \end{array}$	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Annville, By cash Avon,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 82 & 64 \\ 3 & 00 \end{array}$,
Jan. 20,	By cash Denver,	6 92	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Hummelstown,	$\begin{array}{c} 45 & 10 \\ 12 & 35 \end{array}$	·
Jan20. Jan. 20.	By cash Lykens,	$\begin{array}{c} 13 & 78 \\ 22 & 22 \end{array}$	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Lebanon Pleasant Hill on notes,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Jan. 20.	By cash Millersburg,	$-\frac{1}{8}$ 00	5.627
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Elizabethtown, By cash Schuylkill Haven,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 15 & 50 \\ 15 & 15 \end{array}$	
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Harrisburg State Street,	$ \begin{array}{ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Jan. 20.	By cash Pinegrove,	$\frac{1}{20}$ 50	,,
Jan. 20. Jan. 20.	By cash Jacksonville,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 13 & 25 \\ 6 & 55 \end{array}$	*
Feb. 20. Feb. 20.	By cash Mountville, By cash Lancaster North Queen Street,	36 12 19 25	1 47.
Feb. 20.	By cash Reading Trinity,	5 00	
Feb. 20! Feb. 20.	By cash Neffsville,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 8 & 00 \\ 5 & 00 \end{array}$	
Feb. 20. Feb. 20.	By cash Cressona,	8 50 5 00	
Feb. 20. Feb. 20.	By cash Intercourse,	10 00	
Feb. 20.	By cash Lebanon Memorial,	$\begin{array}{c} 16 & 10 \\ 25 & 45 \end{array}$	
Feb. 20. Feb. 20.	By cash Penbrook,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 25 & 00 \\ 20 & 00 \end{array}$	
Feb. 20. Feb. 20.	By cash Lancaster Covenant,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Feb. 20.	By cash Berne, By cash Union,	30 00	4
Mar. 21. Mar. 21.	By cash Bellegrove, By cash Mt. Carmel,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	٠.
Mar. 21. Mar. 21.	By cash Reading Salem, By cash Halifax,	19 55 15 59	
Apr. 20.	By cash Lebanon Bethany,	19 33	,
July 20. Sept. 20.	By cash Schaefferstown,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 12 & 14 \\ 5 & 00 \end{array}$	
Sept. 27. Oct. 1.	By cash Allentown Linden Street,	5 00	. 1 . 1
Oct. 1.	By cash Schaefferstown,	4 39 5 35	
	By cash Birdsboro,	1	
To	tal,,		\$1,105 51

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS, 1913.

1913.		Dr.				
Jan. 20. Jan. 21. Mar. 20. May 1. July 5. Sept. 10. Oct. 2.	To To To To	cash Rev. Kitzmiller, cash Dr. Washinger, cash C. W. Stinespring,	$\begin{array}{c} 27 \\ 20 \end{array}$	01 52 55 00 51		
Tot	al,	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		\$	1,105	51
		II D Domton Elled Co-Course				
1913.		U. B. Dayton Flood Sufferers. Cr.				
Apr. 20.	By	cash Pequea,	\$6			
June 20. June 20.	By By	cash Harrisburg Derry Street,	$\begin{array}{c} 35 \\ 10 \end{array}$			
					\$51	50
1913. May 1.	Тο	cash L. O. Miller,	\$6	50		
June 23.		cash L. O. Miller,	45		051	~ 0
,					\$51	50
1913.		U. B. Publishing House Damages. Cr.				
Apr. 20.	By	cash Pequea,	\$10	00		
Apr. 20. May 20.	By By	cash Annville,	26 9	10		
May 20. May 20.	By	cash Hopeland, cash Tower City,	5	00		
May 20. June 20.	By	cash Allentown Linden Street,		05		
Sept. 20.	By	cash Cressona,		00	000	1-
4040		•			\$88	15
1913. May 1.	Тο	Dr. cash L. O. Miller,	\$36	10		
June 23. Oct. 2.	To	cash L. O. Miller,	50			
Oct. 2.	10	casii D. O. Miller,			\$88	15
-		Lebanon Valley College.				
1913.	-	Cr.	A 7	0.0		
Aug. 20. Oct. 1.	By	cash St. John, Street,	$\begin{smallmatrix} \$1\\20\end{smallmatrix}$	00		
Oct. 1.	Ву	cash Harrisburg Otterbein,	5	00	\$26	00
1913.		Dr.				
Sept. 8.	To	cash Lebanon Valley College,	\$1			
Oct. 2.	То	cash Lebanon Valley College,	25	00	\$26	00
		Cowden Memorial Chair.				
1913.		Cr.				
Mar. 20.	By	cash Palmyra Second,	\$10			
Apr. 20. Apr. 20.	By	cash Penbrook, Cash Lancaster North Queen Street,	9 5	00		
Apr. 20. Apr. 20.	By	cash Lebanon Hebron,cash Pequea,	3 5	00		
Apr. 20. May 20.	By	cash Valley View,	$\begin{array}{c} 30 \\ 26 \end{array}$			
May 20. May 20.	By	cash Elizabethtown,	$\frac{7}{2}$			
May 20. May 20.	By	cash Shamokin First,	5	50		•
June 20. June 20.	By	cash Harrisburg Derry Street,	20			
June 20.	By	cash Mountville,	10	00		
June 20. June 20.	Bv	cash Hummelstown,	10	20 00		
Aug. 20. Aug. 20.	$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{y}$	cash Lancaster Covenant,	13 18	00		
Oct. 2. Oct. 2.		cash Reading Zion, cash Lebanon West,	5 5			
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June 23. To cash Sept. 8. To cash	Dr. n L. O. Miller, n L. O. Miller, n L. O. Miller, n L. O. Miller,	\$62 75 127 17 31 00 10 70	7 .	62			
	Children's Day Offerings.						
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Oct. 1. By casl Oct. 1. By casl	n Mont Clare,	$\begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 51 \\ 4 & 34 \end{array}$	1				
	_		\$78	95			
Sept. 8. To cash	Dr. h L. O. Miller, h L. O. Miller, h L. O. Miller,	\$29 98 42 18 6 88	5	95			
	RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.						
	Resources.						
To Notes—							
To Mortgage,			\$19,304	93			
	Preachers' Aid Estate,		2,000	0.0			
To Real Estate—	Harrisburg Lot,	\$7,000 00 8,000 00		0.0			
To Other Resourc			- 15,000	00			
	Amount paid on West Philadelphia Church, \$ Interest due on notes,			13			
To Cash—	Cash Balance on hand,	\$3,788 61	,				
Total,			\$56,216	67			
	Liphilities.						
Liabilities. To notes bearing 6 per cent. interest, \$6,000 00 To notes bearing 5 per cent. interest, 25,850 00 To notes non-interest bearing, 7,000 00 To mortgage Harrisburg lot 5 per cent., 3,000 00 To book account St. Paul, 1,261 61 To book account West Philadelphia, 2,915 29 To resources above liabilities, 10,189 77 ———— \$56,216 67							

S. F. Engle, the Conference Treasurer. presented a bond for \$5,000, which was, on motion, accepted. His salary was fixed at \$150.

The Conference Missionary and Church Extension Society reported as follows through its secretary, T. G. Spangler, which was adopted:

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE MISSIONARY AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY.

The conference year which has just closed, we are pleased to report, has been one of many blessings to our Missions. All made progress, with the exception of a few, in reducing their indebtedness; and quite a number made commendable gains in membership. Harmony exists among all, and it is therefore safe to say that the spiritual side was well looked after and promoted.

The chief concern of the Board was to meet the expectations of the Conference relative to West Philadelphia, and to the accomplishment of that end its energies were mainly directed.

A meeting of the Board was held in Philadelphia on November 4, following the adjournment of Conference, and the pastor, who had been on the ground since then, looked up available sites south of Market street and west of Fifty-eighth street.

street

There were two lots on Catherine street, the location of which appealed to the Board as being very desirable; but in order to get the judgment of some of the prospective members, who are residents in that section, the matter was referred to the pastor and such members; the result to be reported to the Board. This report was made to the Board at a meeting held on November 11, which was unanimously in favor of the lot on Fifty-ninth street and Catherine street. It was therefore ordered that this 72 by 156 foot lot be purchased for \$8,000.00.

The financial part of the deal was referred to the Conference Treasurer, who concluded it very satisfactorily. In order not to make a mistake in the title, the Trust Company of Philadelphia was made the attorney to secure title, so that we are absolutely sure of having a good title. Mr. George E. Savage, of Philadelphia, an experienced architect in church work, was employed to prepare plans and specifications for the complete plans, which was done without delay, and after a careful examination by the Board and a final perfecting of them, the plans for the chapel and parsonage were adopted and bids solicited.

The bids were opened at a meeting called for that purpose on March 28, and the contract awarded to A. Whitehead, the lowest bidder, for \$24,550.00. The heating to Fred. Sabin & Co., for \$1,895.54; the plumbing to L. J. Sommer & Son, for \$1,025.00.

The General Church Erection Board very generously made a loan of \$7,000.00 to the enterprise.

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The work is progressing as rapidly as possible and is nearing completion.

Thus far all obligations have been met promptly and satisfactorily to the contractors.

At a meeting held at Mt. Gretna a plan was suggested and adopted to finance the final completion of the project. The plan is to issue a mortgage for \$15,000.00 and float 5 per cent. interest bearing bonds, dated April 1, 1914, redeemable in five and payable in ten years, the interest to be paid annually.

It was hoped that the lot known as the Harrisburg Sixth Street Church Lot could be sold during the year, but no adequate offer being received, it remains unsold. The section is being rapidly built up and hence the time cannot be far distant when a sale can be made to advantage.

The Reading Otterbein and Trinity Church property interests at Reading received attention and were adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The third day, afternoon session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by C. W. Stinespring.

FOURTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

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The fourth day, morning session of the Conference convened at 8.30 Devotional exercises were conducted by L. R. Kramer.

The Minutes of the third day's sessions were read and approved.

Dr. Funk made a statement relative to the Otterbein Home, and Dr. Schell relative to the duties of the General Secretary of Education.

The following offerings were taken during this session of the Conference.

For the Page, \$6.61
For the Sexton, 7.08
The following bills were ordered paid:
For printing ballots and reports,\$10.50
For preparing bonds for West Phil-
adelphia Church, 40.00
For Publicity Committee's salary
and expenses,

S. D. Faust, D. D., was elected delegate to the Anti-Saloon League convention to be held at Columbus, Ohio, during November, 1913.

On motion the pastors were ordered to forward to the Statistical Secretaries, at least two weeks before next Annual Conference, that part of their annual report pertaining to Organizations, Membership and Literature.

The following resolution relative to Minimum Salary was passed:

Resolved, That the minimum salary of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) and home be continued in force for the following conference year, under the same conditions as those adopted in last year's session of Conference. (See Conference Minutes 1911, page 24.)

On motion the Conference requested the Board of Managers of the Mt. Gretna Campmeeting Association to provide for a Bible Conference to be held at Mt. Gretna, and that the Conference pledge its support to such a project.

After a statement by Dr. Lowery it was ordered that each pastor assigned to a charge during the coming year contribute five dollars to the support of J. F. Smith, who is seriously ill and unable to serve a charge during the coming year. Many of the laymen and friends on the Conference floor at the time also contributed to this cause, and the Conference Treasurer was ordered to pay the amount received to J. F. Smith.

Mrs. I. B. Haak, of Myerstown, Pennsylvania, treasurer of the Conference Branch brought the greetings of the Woman's Missionary Association to the Conference.

The response to these greetings was made by C. A. Snavely.

Dr. Enck was appointed to respond to such greetings at the next session of the Annual Conference, and the pastor at Annville to bear the greetings of this Annual Conference to the Woman's Branch Missionary convention which convenes at Annville, May, 1914.

The Conference Church Extension and Missionary Society recommended the following appropriations to the Conference Missions, which were on motion approved:

APPROPRIATIONS TO CONFERENCE MISSIONS.

Allentown, Sixth Street,	\$700	00
Sunbury,	400	00
	75	
Philadelphia, First,	350	-
	$\begin{array}{c} 475 \\ 200 \end{array}$	
Lebanon, Bethany,		
Hebron,	500	
Schaefferstown,	125	00
Lancaster, Otterbein,		
= 	250	
West Philadelphia,	1,200	00

The Committee on Resolutions reported as follows which was adopted:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, we, the members of the One Hundred and Fourteenth session of the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference, have been the recipients of great blessings, in that our lives have been spared during another year:

And, whereas, the Lord has given us many souls for our labors of love;

And, whereas, many charges have been blessed in the erection of new and remodeling churches:

remodeling churches;

Therefore, be it RESOLVED:

1. That we thank our Heavenly Father for the success and prosperity with which he has blessed us during the past year.

2. That we will do all in our power to stem the tide of divorce which is destroying the sanctity of the home life.

3. That we pledge ourselves as pastors and laymen to do all we can to restore the family altar in every home.

4. That we recognize, as a solution to the problem of the home, "The Family Altar League," and by a rising vote endorse their efforts.

5. That we disapprove of the secularization of the Lord's Day, and endeavor by all honorable means to prevent the day from being made a day of sports, pleasures and work.

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6. That we will preach and give instruction to old and young, and warn them against the use of drugs, narcotics, and all kinds of intoxicating

drinks.

warn them against the use of drugs, narcotics, and all kinds of intoxicating drinks.

7. That we disapprove of the action of the English Government in forcing upon China the opium, which she had hoped to abolish through the efforts of a special envoy.

8. That by a rising vote of thanks we express our approval of the leadership of our esteemed Bishop, W. M. Weekley, D. D., and also of our Conference Superintendent, D. D. Lowery, D. D., and that we pledge to them our full measure of devotion and service.

9. That we appreciate the kindness and goodness of the pastor of Allentown, Linden street, C. A. Snavely, with his excellent corps of efficient workers, for the manner in which they received and entertained us.

10. That we feel indebted to the local papers for the full reports printed of the proceedings of our Conference.

11. That we as ministers pledge ourselves to write to the pastors of the towns or cities into which our people have moved and inform them of their presence there.

12. That we shall not forget to hold up to a throne of grace the eighteen young men who have entered our ranks as ministers this year.

13. That we miss from our counsel H. E. Miller and J. Francis Smith, who are absent because of affliction, and realizing the value of prayer, we ask that the Bishop call the Conference to prayer in their behalf.

14. That we pledge our ell to the success of the work at home and abroad, and lovingly do the work which shall be assigned us for the new year.

The Committee on Devotions made the usual report, supplying the pulpits of the city and vicinity for which request was made.

The fourth day, morning session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by G. D. Batdorf.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

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The fourth day, afternoon session of the Conference convened at 1.30 Devotional exercises were conducted by C. A. Mutch.

Bishop Weekley delivered a stirring address on "Pastoral Visiting."

The following resolution relative to the press of Allentown was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, That we extend our appreciation of the press work and reportorial services of the Allentown newspapers rendered by Mr. W. L. Hartman and Mr. E. J. Crader, of "The City Item"; Mr. Royal W. Weiler and Mr. C. L. Cole, of "The Allentown Democrat"; Mr. Eugene T. Quinn, of "The Chronicle and News"; Mr. Reuben C. Weaver, of "The Leader", and Mr. George W. Bixler, of "The Morning Call."

The warm-hearted editorial in "The City Item" is expressive, we are assured, of the fine spirit of the citizenship of Allentown, and is duly appreciated.

Mr. Herbert A. Smith, a son of Rev. J. F. Smith, expressed the thanks of his parents to the Conference for the provision that was made for them.

After singing a hymn and a tender prayer offered by Dr. Albright in behalf of H. E. Miller and J. F. Smith in their afflictions, and for the families of our deceased brethren, eulogies on members of this Conference deceased during the year were read in the Memorial Service as follows: on the life and work of M. J. Mumma by I. M. Hershey; on the life and work of U.S.G. Renn by S.E. Rupp.

M. J. MUMMA

"It is appointed unto men once to die, and then cometh the judgment." This Scripture proved true with the Reverend M. J. Mumma, who went out from us on November 9, 1912, at the age of 72 years and 8 months. He has gone to his eternal rest to receive his reward for deeds done in the body. He served his allotted time on the earth, many years of which were in life's most sacred calling. God called him into His ministry early after his conversion, which occurred in mature manhood. Having been obedient to the heavenly vision, he was granted Quarterly Conference license at Highspire, January 26, 1869, and Annual Conference license on March 4, 1870. On March 10, 1872, was ordained by Bishop Johnathan Weaver to the sacred order of the Ministry at the Annual Conference held at Harrisburg. Brother Mumma was a faithful servant. He served well the charges to which he was assigned, preaching faithfully, conducting successful revivals, diligent in pastoral work, and yet an enthusiastic and loyal supporter of the general Church work.

He served as follows: Annville, 1870-71; New Holland, 1871-75; Lebanon Valley College Agent, 1875-76; Reading Otterbein, 1876-77; Presiding Elder, 1877-81; Mountville, 1881-84; Lancaster Covenant, 1884-86; New Holland, 1886-87; Penbrook, 1887-89; Presiding Elder, 1889-91; Hummelstown, 1891-93; Lebanon Valley College Agent, 1893-94; Annville, 1894-97; Jacksonville Circuit, 1897-1900; Ephrata, 1900-03; Schuylkill Haven, 1903-07. The last five years of his life he lived retired, preaching occasionally.

As a preacher, he was strong, forceful, logical and thoughtful. He was not so much concerned about the polish and setting of his sermon as of the truth clearly and convincingly stated. Thoughtful hearers appreciated him most. So direct was his presentation that he was misunderstood by many. It required serious reflection to understand all he really meant. For this reason some thought him blunt and harsh. Not so, it was in love. He stood for the sure defense of the Gospel and the trustworthy faith of

U. S. G. RENN.

Rev. U. S. G. Renn was born March 18, 1864, five miles south of Sunbury in Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, and died in his late home at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, December 24, 1912, after a brief illness.

He was converted when fourteen years of age and early in life felt the call of the gospel ministry. After teaching public school one year, he entered Lebanon Valley College, but before completing his course he took charge of Manor Circuit

Circuit.

He became a member of Annual Conference in 1888 and served the following appointments commendably: Manor Circuit, Manheim, Elverson, Mont Clare, Oberlin, Ephrata; following his pastorate at Ephrata he entered Bonebrake Seminary in 1900 and after graduation was sent to Reading Memorial and from there to Middletown, from which place he was transferred to Harrisburg State Street in the fall of 1912, where he died shortly after entering upon his

pastoral work.

In 1881 he was married to Lillie F. Light, and to this union there were born two sons and two daughters; Earl E., Grant O., L. Hope and Faye M., who

with his widow survive him.

As a minister he was strong in the pulpit, as a pastor untiring in his work, and especially successful in his evangelistic efforts, leading many to Christ and the Church.

He was cut down early in life and in his death our Conference has lost one of her most worthy sons, who was born and reared among us and labored entirely within our borders; the family a devoted husband and father; and the state a loyal citizen.

Funeral services were in charge of I. E. Runk, assisted by several of his fellow ministers. Services were conducted in State Street United Brethren Church, to which he gave his last days of ministerial service, and the following day in the United Brethren Church at Annville. Interment was made in the Annville Cemetery.

The Bishop appointed the following Standing Committees for the current year:

Home Missions—Conference Committee on Home Missions. Foreign Missions—Conference Committee on Foreign Missions. Christian Stewardship—H. E. Ulrich.

Church Erection—Joseph Daugherty.

Education—J. T. Spangler, D. D.

Publishing Interests-—A. K. Wier.

Sabbath Schools—H. J. Behney.

Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor—C. Y. Ulrich.

The Home—I. H. Albright, Ph. D.

Temperance—O. T. Ehrhart.

Bible Cause—J. B. Funk.

Resolutions—Clarence Mease.

Auditing Committee—B. F. Daugherty, D. D., and A. S. Beckley.

Publicity Committee—Clint. S. Miller.

The East Pennsylvania Conference—What, Why, How? S. C. Enck. D. D.

Applicants and Credentials—J. T. Spangler, D. D., H. E. Miller, A. S. Lehman.

First Year's Course of Study—C. A. Mutch, M. H. Jones, J. A. Keiper.

Second Year's Course of Study-E. O. Burtner, H. F. Rhoad, Joseph Daugherty.

Third Year's Course of Study-I. H. Albright, Ph. D., A. G. Nye, A. K. Wier.

Fourth Year's Course of Study—S. C. Enck, D. D., J. M. Walters,

It was ordered that the final adjournment of the Conference occur on Monday, October 6, 1913, at ten o'clock A. M.

J. A. Lyter and C. E. Boughter were re-elected Recording Secretary and Assistant Recording Secretary respectively and E. A. G. Bossler and R. R. Butterwick were re-elected Statistical Secretaries for the coming year and for the next session of the Annual Conference.

The compensations of the secretaries was fixed as follows: J. A. Lyter, \$50.00; C. E. Boughter, \$30.00; E. A. G. Bossler, \$20.00; R. R. Butterwick, \$15.00, and the expenses of each.

The Recording Secretary was on motion empowered to edit and arrange the Minutes.

The Minutes of the fourth day sessions were read and approved.

The fourth day, afternoon session of the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Weekly.

The report of the Stationing Committee was read in connection with the Sabbath morning service, by Dr. Lowery, the Conference Superintendent. It is as follows:

STATIONING COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Conference District—D. D. Lowery, D. D., Superintendent.

- Allentown, Linden Street, C. A. 1. Snavely.
 - Allentown, Sixth Street, C. G. White.
- 3. Annville.

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- Avon—D. S. Longenecker. 4.
- Belle Grove —C. R. Longenecker. Berne—I. W. Funk. 5.
- 6.

- 7.
- Birdsboro—C. Y. Ulrich. Catawissa—B. F. Goodman. 8.
- Centerville—O. R. Brooks. 9.
- 10.
- 11.
- Chamber Hill—C. L. Earley.
 Coatesville—Z. A. Weidler.
 Columbia—Joseph Daugherty. 12.
- 13.
- Cressona—C. Mease. Denver—W. W. Fridinger. 14.

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15	Elizabethtown — I. N. Seldom-	46.	Linglestown, C. A. Lynch.
15.		47.	Lititz, J. E. Keene.
	ridge.	48.	Lykens, H. S. Kiefer.
16.	Ephrata—J. M. Walters.	49.	Lykens Circuit, M. H. Miller.
17.	Florin—J. B. Funk.	50.	Manheim, H. J. Behney.
18.	Grantville—R. S. Arndt.	50.51.	Manor, Martin Groff.
19.	Halifax—C. A. Funk.	52.	Middletown, I. H. Albright,
20.	Harrisburg—First, J. T. Spang-	<i>92</i> .	Ph. D.
	ler, D. D.	53.	Millersburg, A. L. Haeseler.
21.	Otterbein, S. E. Rupp.	54.	Mont Clare, John O. Jones.
22.	Derry Street, J. A. Lyter, D. D.	$5\overline{5}$.	Mt. Carmel, C. S. Miller.
$\frac{23}{23}$.	State Street, E. A. G. Bossler.	56.	Mt. Joy, H. S. Gabel, D. D.
24.	Sixth Street, P. H. Balsbaugh.	57.	Mountville, R. R. Butterwick,
$\frac{21.}{25.}$	Hershey—N. L. Linebaugh.	01.	D. D.
$\frac{26}{1}$.	Highspire—H. F. Rhoad.	58.	Myerstown, O. L. Mease.
27.	Hillsdale—William Beach.	59.	Neffsville, S. G. Kauffman.
28.	Hopeland—W. E. Shoop.	60.	New Holland, J. R. MacDonald.
$\frac{29}{29}$.	Hummelstown—A. S. Lehman.	61.	Northampton, G. W. Hess.
30.	Intercourse—H. E. Ulrich.	62.	Oberlin, C. E. Boughter.
31.	Iona, C. W. Miller.	63.	Palmyra First, E. O. Burtner.
32.	Jacksonville, J. C. Pease.	64.	Palmyra Second, A. Lehman.
33.	Jonestown—	65.	Penbrook, H. M. Miller.
	Jonestown and Fredericks-	66.	Pequea, S. G. Haas.
	burg, D. E. Young.	67.	Philadelphia First, J. A. Keiper.
	Lickdale and Greenpoint, G.	68.	Philadelphia West, Second, S.
	L. Blouch.	00.	C. Enck, D. D.
34.	Lancaster Covenant, G. D. Bat-	69.	Pine Grove, L. R. Kramer.
	dorf, Ph. D.	70.	Pottstown, H. F. Boeshore.
35.	Lancaster North Queen Street,	71.	Reading Zion, D. D. Brandt.
	S. L. Rhoads.	72.	Reading Trinity, S. S. Daugh-
36.	Lancaster Laurel Street, J. R.		erty.
	Bowermaster.	73.	Reading Salem, D. D. Bud-
37.	Lebanon Salem, H. E. Miller.		dinger.
38.	Lebanon Trinity, B. F. Daugh-	74.	Refton, B. M. Breneman.
	erty, D. D.	75.	Royalton, H. A. Smith.
39.	Lebanon Memorial, A. G. Nye.	76.	Schuylkill Haven, C. A. Mutch.
40.	Lebanon West, C. H. Holzinger.	77.	Schaefferstown, H. H. Fertig.
41.	Lebanon Bethany, S. B. Wen-	78.	Shamokin, A. S. Beckley.
	gert.	79.	Shamokin Circuit, J. F. Brown.
42.	Lebanon Hebron, O. T. Ehrhart.	80.	Steelton, A. K. Wier.
43.	Lebanon Pleasant Hill, P. B.	81.	St. Johns, M. H. Jones.
	Gibble.	82.	Sunbury, M. T. Wert.
44.	Lebanon Circuit, H. E. Schaef-	83.	Tower City, N. I. Fake.
	fer.	84.	Tremont, P. M. Holdeman.
45.	Lehigh, Under care of Allen-	85.	Union, O. G. Romig.
	town Linden Street Quar-	86.	Valley View, H. M. Mentzer.
	terly Conference.	87.	Williamstown, E. E. Bender.

S. D. Faust, D. D., Professor in Bonebrake Theological Seminary; C. I. B. Brane, D. D., Associate Editor Religious Telescope; A. E. Shroyer, A. M. Professor of Greek and Ethics in Lebanon Valley Colleg; D. E. Long, Field Secretary of Lebanon Valley College; H. U. Roop, Ph. D., President Eastern College; George M. Richter and J. F. Musselman, Missionaries in Africa; C. W. Shoop, Missionary in China; I. M. Hershey, Secretary of Hershey Y, M. C. A.

SABBATH AND EVENING SERVICES.

Wednesday evening, 7.30 o'clock. "Conference Church Extension." Song service by the church choir. Address—"The Extension of our Work in the East Pennsylvania Conference," by E. O. Burtner, Palmyra, Penna. Address—"Philadelphia, a Retrospect and a Prospect," by S. C. Enck, D. D., Philadelphia, Penna.

Thursday evening, 7.30 o'clock. "Home Missions and Church Erection and Sabbath Schools." Song service by the church choir. Address—"Home Missions and Church Erection," by L. O. Miller, General Church Treasurer, Dayton, Ohio. Address—"Sabbath Schools," by C. W. Brewbaker, Ph. D., General Secretary of Sabbath Schools, Dayton, Ohio.

Friday evening, 7.30 o'clock. "Foreign Missions." Song service by the church choir. Address—"Africa," by J. F. Musselman of Freetown, West Africa. Address—"God's Program for the Church," by S. S. Hough, D. D., General Secretary of Foreign Missions, Dayton, Ohio.

Saturday evening, 7.30 o'clock. "The Church Revived." Song service by the junior church choir. Address—"The Church Revived," by R. R. Butterwick, D. D., of Mountville, Penna. Address—"The Evangelistic Activities of a Revived Church," by A. K. Wier, of Reading, Penna.

Sabbath morning, 9.00 o'clock. Sabbath School, George F. Breinig, Superintendent. Addresses by P. H. Balsbaugh and A. S. Lehman.

Sabbath morning, 10.00 o'clock. Sermon by Bishop Weekley. Text, Colossians 1:18. It was a marvelous eulogy of "The Pre-eminent Christ." In connection with this service R. E. Morgan and J. B. Glick were ordained to the office of Elder in the Church of the United Brethren in Christ.

Sabbath evening, 7.30 o'clock. Sermon by S. S. Hough, D. D.

The following is the Charter of the East Pennsylvania Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ:

AN ACT.

To Incorporate the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That George A. Mark, Junior, Jacob Brewer, G. W. Miles Rigor, and others, ministerial members of the East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, as contained in the minutes of their session for the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-six, and all the ministers and preachers who are, or may hereafter be, members of said annual conference, during their membership thereof's shall be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate, in law and in fact, to have perpetual succession, by and under the name, style and title aforesaid, shall be capable, in law, to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, in any court, or before any judge, or justice of the peace, in all and all manner of suits, complaints, pleas and demands, of whatsoever name, or nature, and all and every matter and thing to do, in as full and effectual a manner as any other person, or persons, body politic, or corporate, within this Commonwealth may, or can do.

Section 2. That the said corporation, and their successors, shall be and are hereby authorized and empowered to make, ordain, and establish such bylaws and ordinances as shall be necessary and proper, for the regulation of the temporal and financial concerns of the said conference, and for the promotion of religion: **Provided.** That nothing shall be done, in pursuance of the powers and the privileges, herein granted, repugnant to this act, or to the constitution of the United States, or to the constitution and laws of this Commonwealth.

Section 3. That the business of the said corporation shall be managed and conducted by the said corporation, at the times and during the annual sessions of the said annual conference, or an adjourned, or extra session thereof.

Section 4. That the said corporation, and their successors, shall have full power and authority to make, have and to use, one common seal, with such devices and inscription as they shall think proper, and the same to break, renew and alter, at their pleasure.

Section 5. That the said corporation, or their successors, by the name, style and title aforesaid, shall be able and capable, in law and equity, to take and to hold, to themselves and their successors, for the uses and objects set forth, as aforesaid, lands, tenements, goods and chattels, of whatsoever kind, nature and quality, real, personal or mixed, which now is, or shall hereafter become, the property of the said annual conference, by gift, grant, bargain, sale, conveyance, devise, bequest, or otherwise, from any person, or persons whatsoever, capable of making the same, and the same to grant, bargain, sell, or otherwise dispose of, for the use of the said annual conference: **Provided**, That the yearly value, or income, of said estate shall not, at any time, exceed five thousand dollars, and shall not be appropriated to any other than the financial and religious promotion of the said annual conference, as before named.

Section 6. That the said corporation, in the transaction of their religious or secular affairs, shall adopt and be governed by the rules and regulations, as set forth in the discipline of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, as it now exists, or as it may hereafter be altered, or amended, by the general conference of said church.

Section 7. That each and every church now built, or that shall hereafter be built, and dedicated to, the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, and also all colleges, academies and schools, that have been, or shall hereafter be, built by, or donated to, the same, within the limits of the annual conference aforesaid, shall be subject to the entire and exclusive jurisdiction and control of said annual conference.

Section 8. That no misnomer of the said corporation shall defeat, or annul, any gift, grant, devise, or bequest to, or from, the said corporation:

Provided, That the intent of the party, or parties, shall sufficiently appear upon the face of the grant, will, or other writing, whereby an estate, or interest, is intended to pass to, or from, the said corporation.

JAMES R. KELLEY,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
DAVID FLEMING,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twelfth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

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Entered Conference.	Relation.	Address.
1876 1876 1876 1881 1903 1897 1889 1905 1910 1891 1862 1888 1897 1911 1895 1891 1895 1896 1889 1888 1889 1888 1888 1888 1888 1888 1887 1911 1875 1891	Albright, I. H., Ph. D. E. Arndt, R. S. E. Balsbaugh, P. H., E. Batdorf, G. D., Ph. D., E. Beach, William, E. Beckley, A. S., E. Behney, H. J., E. Bender, E. Ethan, E. Bierman, G. F., Ph. D., S'y. E. Binkley, John, S'd E. Bossler, E. A. G. E. Boughter, C. E. E. Boughter, C. E. E. Boughter, J. W., S'd E. Brandt, D. D. E. Brandt, D. D. E. Breneman, B. M., E. Brandt, D. D. E. Breneman, B. M., E. Brown, J. F., 3rd yr. L. Buddinger. D. D. E. Butterwick, R. R., D. D. E. Butterwick, F. J., S'd E. Comrey, E. S., 4th yr. L. Daugherty, Joseph, E. Daugherty, Joseph, E. Daugherty, B. F., D. D. E. Enders, G. W., S'y E. Faust, S. D., D. D. E. Fridinger, W. W. E. Funk, J. B., E. Gabel, H. S., D. D. E. Garland, Thomas, E. Gibble, Phares B., Ist yr. L. Goodman, B. F., E. Groff, Martin, 1st yr. L. Groff, I. M., E. Haas, S. G., E. Haines, P. L., E. Hershey, I. Moyer, Hes, George W., 4th yr. L. Holdeman, P. M., 2nd yr. L. Holdeman, S. G., E. Keene, J. E. Keiper, J. A., E. Kramer, L. R., E. Kramer, L. R., E. Linebaugh, N. L., E. Lehman, A. S. L. Lehman, A. S. L. Lehman, A. S. L. Lehman, A. S. L. Longenecker, D. S., E. Longenecker	Middletown, Pa. Annville, Pa. 634 Camp St., Harrisburg, Pa. 127 Charlotte St. Lancaster, Pa. Middletown, Pa. 100 E. Sunbury St., Shamokin, Pa. Manheim, Pa. Williamstown, Pa. 739 N. Eighth St., Reading, Pa. Jonestown, Pa. 125 N. 18th St., Harrisburg, Pa. Oberlin, Pa. Royalton, Pa. Lancaster, Pa. Dayton, Ohio West Willow, Pa. R. F. D. No. 2. Shamokin, Pa. Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton, Ohio Middletown, Pa. 372 N. 12th St., Lebanon, Pa. 372 N. 12th St., Lebanon, Pa. Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton, Ohio Middletown, Pa. Say Willow St., Lebanon, Pa. Say Willow St., Lebanon, Pa. Finders, Pa. 1614 W. First St., Dayton, Ohio Denver, Pa. Florin, Pa. Mn. Joy, Say Catawissa, Pa. Annville, Pa. Safe Harbor, Pa. Safe Harbor, Pa. Florin, Pa. Millersburg, Pa. Hershey, Pa. Hershey, Pa. Lititz, Pa. R. D. No. 1, Bath, Pa. Lititz, Pa. Lit
1905 1908 1884 1889	Mease, Oliver L.,E. Mease, Clarence,E. Miller, C. S.,E. Miller, H. M.,E.	Myerstown,

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1892	Miller, M. H.,	E.	Elizabethville,Pa.
1894	Miller, H. E.,	E.	349 N. Ninth St., Lebanon,Pa.
$\overline{1906}$	Miller, C. W.,	E.	R. D. No. 1, Lebanon,Pa.
1907	Morgan, R. E.,	E.	Valley View,Pa.
1909	Musselman, J. F.,	,E.	Freetown,
1887	Mutch, C. A.,	E.	Schuylkill Haven,Pa.
1894	Nye, A. G.,		1040 Lehman St., Lebanon, Pa.
1908	Ohmacht, J. L.,	\dots 2nd yr. L.	735 S. 23rd St., HarrisburgPa.
1904	Pease, J. C.,		Halifax,Pa.
1899	Rhoad, H. F.,	正	Highspire,
$\begin{array}{c} 1895 \\ 1906 \end{array}$	Rhoads, S. L., Richter, Geo. M.,	TE!	Freetown,
1894	Romig, O. G.,	E	Hershey,Pa.
1857	Runk, J.,	Sup'd E.	Berrysburg,Pa.
1896	Runk, I. E., D. D., .		Scottdale,Pa.
1900	Rupp, S. E.,	E.	343 Reily St., Harrisburg,Pa.
1867	Shoop, J.,	Su'd E.	Carsonville,Pa.
1906	Shoop, C. W.,	E.	Canton,
1911	Shoop, W. E.,	2nd yr. L.	Hopeland,Pa.
1899	Shroyer, A. E.,	<u>E</u> .	Annville,Pa.
1888	Smith, J. Francis,		Royalton,
1903	Snavely, C. A.,	<u>.</u>	817 Linden St., Allentown,Pa.
$\begin{array}{c} 1891 \\ 1381 \end{array}$	Spangler, J. T., D. D	'.,	258 Herr St., Harrisburg,Pa. R. D. No. 5, Modesto,Cal.
$\frac{1331}{1874}$	Spayd, H. B., Steiner, J. G.,	Sund E	Knoxdale,Pa.
1900	Seldomridge, I. N., .		Elizabethtown,Pa.
1899	Trautman, H. M.,		Gibraltar, Berks Co.,Pa.
1908	Ulrich, A. N.,	2nd vr. L.	Middletown,Pa.
1891	Walters, J. M.,		64 Church St., Ephrata,Pa.
1881	Weidler, Z. A.,	E.	75 South Sixth Ave., Coatesville, Pa.
1910	White, C. G.,	2nd yr. L.	817 N. Sixth St., Allentown,Pa.
1899	Wier, A. K.,		311 Walnut St., Steelton,Pa.
1893	Wengert, S. B.,	<u>E</u> .	38 Mifflin St., Lebanon,Pa.
$\underline{1906}$	Wert, Mark H.,	·····.E.	356 Vine St., Sunbury,Pa.
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1913	Arndt, R. H.,	1st vr. L.	Annville,Pa.
1885	Blecker, A. M.,		Myerstown,Pa.
1913	Blouch, G. L.,	1st yr. L.	Annville,Pa.
1913	Boeshore, H. F.,	1st vr. T. 1	Lebanon,Pa.
1911	Bomberger, J. W.,	1st yr. <u>L</u> .	Annville,Pa.
1912	Brooks, O. R.,		614 E. Madison St., LancasterPa.
$\begin{array}{c} 1913 \\ 1913 \end{array}$	Earley, C. L.,	zna yr. L.	1430 N. Third St., Harrisburg Pa.
$\begin{array}{c} 1313 \\ 1912 \end{array}$	Fertig, H. H., Funk, C. A.,	F. ISt yr. L.	Schaefferstown,
$1912 \\ 1913$	Funk, Ira W.,		Adamsdale,Pa.
1909	Glick, J. B.,		Roanoke,Ind.
1913	Hallman, A. W.,		Annville,Pa.
1910	Holtzman, M. G.,		805-6 Witherspoon Bldg., Phila., Pa.
1913	Jones, John O.,		Annville,Pa.
1885	Kurtz, J. H.,	E.	Bellwood,Pa.
1889	Lehman, W. H.,	E.	Killinger,Pa.
1911	Leibold, T. J.,	1st yr. <u>L</u> .	Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton,Ohio
1913	Longenecker, C. R., .	\dots lst yr. L.	Annville,
$\frac{1910}{1912}$	Lowery, Ira D.,	2nd yr. L.	Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton,Ohio
$\begin{array}{c} 1912 \\ 1913 \end{array}$	McDonald, J. R Martin, Lloyd,	1 of ren T	New Holland,Pa.
1913	Mentzer, H. M.,	1st vr T	Johnson City,
1913	Oakes, J. W.,	1st yr. L.	Annville,Pa.
$19\overline{12}$	Rettew, C. E.,	1st vr. L	Bonebrake Seminary, Dayton,Ohio
1893	Roop, H. U., Ph. D.,	E.	Manasses,
1913	Schaffer, H. E.,	\dots 1st vr. I_L	Annville,Pa.
1913	Schwalm, C. W.,	1st vr. T	Valley View,Pa.
1890	Snyder, W. H.,	$oxed{oldsymbol{ iny E.}}$	Lykens,Pa.
1913	Smith, H. A.,	\dots 1st vr. L.	Royalton,Pa,
1913	Ulrich, H. E.,	lst yr. L.	Intercourse,Pa.
$\begin{array}{c} 1913 \\ 1881 \end{array}$	Ulrich, C. Y., Weidman, B. B.,	Ist yr. L.	Birdsboro,Pa.
1912	Young, D. E.,	1 of ren T	Sinking Springs,Pa. Annville,Pa.
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LAY DELEGATES

1.	Allentown, Linden St., G. F. Breinig Allentown, Sixth St., R. A. Parkes		Lebanon Circuit,H. D. Meyer Linglestown,U. F. Feeser
2.	Annville,H. L. Kinports	46	Lititz,
4	Avon,J. H. Bomberger		Lykens,W. M. Romberger
5.	Bellegrove,S. W. Gelbach	48.	Lykens Circuit,H. G. Foster
6.	Berne,Jacob S. Yoder		Manheim,
7.	Birdsboro,W. H. Wilson	50.	Manor,
8.	Catawissa, Benjamin Griffeth	51.	Middletown,
9.	Centerville,John B. Kauffman		Millersburg,Ed. H. Chubb
10.	Chamber Hill,M. F. O'Neal	53.	Mont Clare,J. T. Readman
11.	Coatesville,P. H. Hechler	54.	Mt. Carmel, Thomas Mattern
12.	Columbia,M. D. Kendig	55.	Mt. Joy,S. N. Eby
13.	Cressona,		Mountville,
14.	Denver,	57.	Myerstown,I. B. Haak
15.	Elizabethtown,J. H. Stern	58.	Neffsville,
10.	Ephrata,I. G. Mentzer		New Holland,E. G. Ranck
10	Florin,		Northampton,Wm. T. Easterday Oberlin,J. W. Garverich
10.	Halifax,C. R. Shope	62	Palmyra, First,S. F. Engle
20	Harrisburg, First,R. A. Carl		Palmyra, Second, H. K. Bomberger
	Harrisburg, Otterbein,A. Hoerner		Penbrook,G. M. Aungst
$\frac{5}{2}$.	Harrisburg, Derry St., E. F. Weaver		Pequea,
$\overline{23}$.	Harrisburg, State St., G. E. Runkle		Philadelphia, Mt. Pisgah, S. C. Snoke
	Harrisburg, Sixth St., R. A. Enders	67.	Philadelphia, West, Harry Fridy
	Hershey,	68.	Pine Grove,A. H. Boughter
26.	Highspire,	69.	Pottstown,Lewis Murray
	Hillsdale,T. S. Manning	70.	Reading, Zion,F. N. Heilig
28.	Hopeland,	$\frac{71}{2}$.	Reading, Trinity,E. C. Smith
	Hummelstown,L. W. Zimmerman	72.	Reading, Salem,Kate Coldren
	Intercourse,J. M. Beam	73.	Refton, M. B. Groff
	Iona,J. G. Beckley	74.	Royalton,A. S. Bender
34. 22	Jacksonville,H. R. Landis Jonestown,E. C. Tobias	76	Schuylkill Haven,John A. Mower Schaefferstown,Harry H. Hewitt
30.	Lancaster, Covenant, C. L. Graybill	77	Shamokin, First,L. M. Erdman
25	Lancaster, N. Queen, J. B. Withers	7.8	Shamokin Circuit,G. S. Clark
36	Lancaster, Laurel St., Harry Hoover	79.	Sinking Spring,O. L. Weidman
	Lebanon, Salem, .R. V. Schanbacher	80.	Steelton,J. F. Mentzer
38.	Lebanon, TrinityA. S. Light	81.	St. John's,J. B. Weaver
39.	Lebanon, Memorial,M. A. Wagner	82.	Sunbury,
	Lebanon, Bethany, U. W. Light	83.	Tower City,J. L. Reed
41.	Lebanon, Hebron, Allen G. Ross	84.	Union, Edward Stover
	Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, F. G. Moyer	85.	Valley View,J. I. Miller
43.	Lebanon, West, Wm. W. Donley	86.	Williamstown,H. F. Malick

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FIELD OF LABOR.	NAME OF PREACHER.	Number churches of ized.	At beginning of year.	Received by confession of faith.	Received by let- ter.	Total in church during year.	Lost by letter.	Lost by re- moval.	Total loss.
CONFERENCE DISTRICT— 1 Allentown, Linden St.,	D. D. Lowery, D. D. Supt. C. A. Snavely,	1	222 70			237	2	11	13
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FIELD OF LABOR.	NAME OF PREACHER.	Number churches or ized.		Received by profession of faith.	Received by letter.	Total in church during year.	Lost by Letter.	Loss by Removal.	Total loss.
71 Reading, Trinity, 72 Reading, Salem, 73 Refton, 74 Royalton, 75 Schuylkill Haven, 76 Schafferstown, 77 Shamokin, 78 Shamokin Circuit, 79 Sinking Spring, 80 Steelton, 81 St. John's, 82 Sunbury, 83 Tower City, 84 Union, 85 Valley View, 86 Williamstown, Toatls,	I. N. Seldomridge, D. D. Buddinger, C. G. White, J. F. Smith, D. D. Brandt, H. H. Fertig, A. S. Beckley, J. F. Brown, P. F. Roberts, E. A. G. Bossler, M. H. Jones, C. A. Mutch, Norman Fake, O. G. Romig, P. M. Haldeman, R. E. Morgan,	1 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	309 99 661 323 276 137 215 386 107	22 4 4 10 1111 34 6 28 111 93 6	4 5 5 5 9 9 2 5	220 136 213 71 536 348 99 717 332 291 167 231 479 113	8 11 5 2 2 11 6	83 3 6 1 10 48 23 2 24 7	91 14 11 3 10 56 24 46 18 42 10 26 34

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS, 1913.

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Members end of year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Young People's Societies.	Members.	Junior Societies.	Members.	Brotherhoods.	Members.	Sunday schools.	Teachers and of- ficers.	Scholars in main school.	Scholars in home department.	Members on cradle roll.	Total enrollment.	No. adult Bible classes.	Scholars in adult Bible classes.	Sunday-school libraries.	Volumes in libraries.	Added to church from S. S.	
210 307 206 125 210 61 480 324 97 671 314 249 157 205 445	59 15 10 20	124 59 1 2 10 2 27 	1 1 2 1 1 3 1 1 1 2 5	50 61 62 45 103 58 195 20 95 41 87 237 48	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 	40 67 15 60 45 150 140 15 92 115 37	1 1 1	52 87 15	1 1 2 1 1 1 1 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 5 1	18 59 24 19 21 9 42 53 12 70 27 37 43 49 88	281 400 81 240 258 165 500 425 38 794 184 346 	12 20 9 26 7	18 34 8 14 48 	320 493 137 273 339 165 612 554 50 956 257 440 223 380 872 245	8 2 4 1 1 4 1 7 1 2 6 3 3 6 2 2	95 119 39 74 130 43 180 30 25 415 69 150 50 43	1 2 1	150 175 125 25 155	6 9 70 11 50 2 7 10 91	73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83
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FIELD OF LABOR.	Religious Tele-scope.	Watchword.	Friend for Boys and Girls.	Otterbein Teacher.	Otterbein Adult Quarterly.	Otterbein Senior Quarterly.	Otterbein Intermediate Quarterly.	- T	Weekly Bible Lesson Leaves.	Lessons for Our Juniors.		Prim'y Pu- pils Stories.		Woman's Evangel.	Conference Herald.
1 Allentown, Linden St., 2 Allentown, Sixth St., 3 Annville, 4 Avon, 5 Belle Grove, 6 Berne, 7 Birdsboro, 8 Catawissa, 9 Centerville, 10 Chamber Hill, 11 Coatesville, 12 Columbia, 13 Cressona, 14 Denver, 15 Elizabethtown, 16 Ephrata, 17 Florin, 18 Grantville, 19 Halifax, 20 Harrisburg, First, 21 Harrisburg, Otterbein, 22 Harrisburg, State St., 23 Harrisburg, Sixth St., 24 Harrisburg, Sixth St., 25 Hershey, 26 Highspire, 27 Hillsdale, 28 Hopeland, 29 Hummelstown, 30 Intercourse, 31 Jona, 31 Jacksonville, 33 Jonestown, 34 Lancaster, Covenant, 35 Lancaster, North Queen St., 36 Lancaster, Laurel St., 37 Lebanon, Salem, 38 Lebanon, Trinity, 39 Lebanon, Memorial, 40 Lebanon, Mest, 41 Lebanon, Bethany, 42 Lebanon, Hebron, 43 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 44 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 44 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 45 Lititz, 47 Lykens, 48 Lykens Circuit, 49 Manheim, 50 Manor, 51 Middletown, 52 Millersburg, 53 Mont Clare, 54 Mt. Carmel, 55 Mt. Joy, 56 Mountville, 57 Nyerstown, 58 Neffsville, 59 New Holland, 60 Northampton Circuit, 61 Oberlin, 62 Palmyra, Second, 63 Penbrook, 65 Pequea, 66 Philadelphia, Mt. Pisgah, 67 Philadelphia, West,	7 1 39 12 23 29 3 6 10 6 3 13 6 10 10 14 11 12 24 30 41 9 28 20 10 30 9 3 15 19 34 25 32 16 11 12 4 6 5 5 18 23 4 18 21 1 5 19 27 20 5 30 6 22 23 11 10 10 7 5	20 20 30 11 11 10 20 20 30 31 11 12 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	5 10 4 50 3 20 6 70 11 4 4 5 1 69 7 1 2 30 2 30 3 4 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 7 8 9 170 125	10	7 200 240 240 3 45 57 90 25 3 60 32 200 32 200 25 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75	200 186 100 210 35 50 375 70 100 170 80 245 240 150 425 675 120 325 85 225 165 135 190 142 480 175 225 100 168 75 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 325 105 100 375 125 105 100 375 105 100 375 105 100 375 105 100 375 105 100 375 105	60 90 95 130 113 15 145 85 20 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 6	81 35 10 7 3 65 25 76 30 10 20 40 25 20 18 60 80 25 60 20 6 135 30 25 25 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	20 150 10 20 10 20 20 10 20 20 10 20 12 20 12 100 30 12	60 40 85 47 150 75 150 70 30 76 48 65 20 48 65 20 48 65 20 65 60 25 70 60 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 20 70 70 70 70 70 70 70 70 70 7	40 30 20 15 25 45 40 12 10 55 55 35	32 55 25 36 36 35 47 11 78	24 59 45 	2 5 8 80 28 20 30 28 25 7 24 4 29 6 23 20 40 2 6 10 35 34 28 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	19 6 55 6 49 46 18 92 46 18 92 27 50 64 35 77 42 6 20 41 27 37 34 85 55

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Pastor's salary paid by charge.	Missionary appro- priation.	Presents received.	Collected for local current expenses.	For church and parsonage buildings.	Collected for local Sunday-school purposes.	Collected for Home Mis- sions.	Special for Home Mis- sions.	F5.
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FIELD OF LABOR.	Religious Tele- scope.	Watchword.	Friend for Boys and Girls.	Otterbein Teacher.	Otterbein Adult Quarterly.	Otterbein Senior Quarterly.	Otterbein Intermediate Quarterly.	Otterbein Home Dep. Quarterly.	Weekly Bible Lesson Leaves.	Lessons for Our Juniors.		Primary Pu-	Hand	Woman's Evangel.	Conference Herald.
68 Pine Grove, 69 Pottstown, 70 Reading, Zion, 71 Reading, Trinity, 72 Reading, Salem, 73 Refton, 74 Royalton, 75 Schuylkill Haven, 76 Schafferstown, 77 Shamokin, 78 Shamokin Circuit, 79 Sinking Spring, 80 Steelton, 81 St. John's, 82 Sunbury, 83 Tower City, 84 Union, 85 Valley View, 86 Williamstown,	44 8 2 26 7 15 6 5 30 7	30 15 39 20 24 20 23 10 36 50 13	145	12 11 18 18 38 7 12 3 20 37 8	25 35	350 70 128 135 220 360 48	75 35 75 25 50 75 141 10 140 60 128 45 75 28 40	36 10 13 20 9	60 40 110 145 15 68 195	12 40 10 100 146 15 20 25 	33 20 50 25 	45 20 85 15	20	27 24 24 1 5 10 20 10 9 46 4 9 5 15	118 75 51 20
Totals,	1146	1455	1395	1178	2252	13811	4354	1732	1783	3343	851	845	491	1338	137

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Pastor's salary paid by charge.	Missionary appropriation.	Presents received.	Collected for local current expenses.	For church and parsonage build-ings.	Collected for local Sunday-school purposes.	Collected for home missions.	Special for home missions.
716 00 355 51 1,275 00 1,247 00 948 00 880 00 600 00 1,200 00 187 71 1,260 00 796 00 265 00 1,325 00 990 00 616 20 536 75 575 00 884 00 698 50		4 00 20 00 57 50 17 00 36 00 15 00 200 38 120 25 85 00 25 00 140 00 75 00 30 00 83 49 50 00 50 00 20 00	501 05 257 11 1,992 55 759 75 785 00 161 91 154 15 688 81 353 21 950 00 281 66 800 00 1,578 95 250 47 137 92 221 20 154 00 426 17 284 96	1,398 19 4,350 00 1,327 48 870 66 400 00 1,250 14 1,180 00 627 90 273 50 1,066 31 450 00 700 41	111 32 1,487 23 79 87 313 58 380 51 27 28 132 20 26 00 472 95 286 76 158 84 119 94	18 50 2 86 102 91 50 00 71 00 39 25 20 00 71 20 73 75 248 65 26 83 14 25 22 90 25 00 50 00 5 00	100 00
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FIELD OF LABOR.	Collected for for- eign missions.	Special for foreign missions.	Woman's Mission- ary Association.	Church erection.	Church erection special.	Parsonage erection.
1 Allentown, Linden St., 2 Anchrown, Sixth St., 3 Annume, 4 Avoid. 3 Dene Grove, 6 Dene, 7 Drussoffo, 8 Catamissa, 9 Centervine, 10 Chamber fill, 11 Coatesvine, 12 Columbia, 13 Cressoffa, 14 Denver, 15 Enzabethtown, 16 Enjanta, 17 From, 18 Chambyffe, 19 Irantan, 20 mattisoung, First, 21 mattisoung, Detry St., 23 Haftisoung, Sixth St., 24 Haftisoung, Sixth St., 25 Haftisoung, Sixth St., 26 Haftisoung, Sixth St., 27 History, 28 Hopeland, 29 Hummerstown, 30 Intercourse, 31 Iona, 32 Jacksonville, 33 Jonestown, 34 Lancaster, Covenant, 35 Lancaster, Laurel St. 36 Lancaster, Laurel St. 37 Lebanon, Trimity, 39 Lebanon, Memorial, 40 Lebanon, West, 41 Lebanon, Hebron, 43 Lebanon, Hebron, 44 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 44 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 44 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, 45 Linglestown, 46 Lititz, 47 Lykens, 48 Lykens Circuit 49 Manheim, 50 Manor, 51 Middletown, 51 Middletown, 52 Merstown, 53 Neffsville, 55 Mt. Joy, 56 Mountville, 57 Myerstown, 58 Neffsville, 59 New Holland, 60 Northampton Circuit, 51 Oberlin,	\$75 00 35 00 196 07 117 00 60 00 86 50 11 32 25 00 15 00 20 00 204 78 31 27 20 57 96 79 280 00 57 60 25 00 78 00 100 00 101 56 500 00 56 90 134 35 70 00 78 50 30 25 110 00 200 00 5 81 82 50 20 00 4 60 750 00 74 27 433 19 179 50 123 20 32 54 30 00 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 18 01 40 00 56 00 57 77 75 40 00 50 00 507 22 46 03 83 32 83 00	50 00	\$65 00 13 46 626 00 110 00 43 00 84 00 \$43 00 84 00 \$44 00 \$45 00 \$40 59 70 00 20 50 183 34 145 91 62 38 2 00 70 28 680 00 166 72 214 50 189 97 91 59 37 75 191 67 13 00 12 50 188 00 33 67 \$65 00 556 64 155 93 \$125 66 290 25 121 25 99 04 \$65 00 154 20 22 70 131 38 55 95 \$65 95	\$24 00 7 00 41 00 10 00 18 00 7 06 5 00 12 50 14 30 15 64 10 00 51 00 51 00 12 50 17 90 12 00 32 50 11 00 7 06 3 00 70 00 26 53 36 00 14 00 7 00 26 53 5 00 10 00 1	100 00 3 85 8 30 5 00 5 00 5 00 5 10 5 10	5 00
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Y. P. S. C. E. general fund.	Brotherhood general fund.	Children's Day of- fering.	Conference Collections.	Quincy Orphan-age.	West Philadel- phia.	Bonebrake Theological Seminary.	Lebanon Valley College.	Bible Cause.	Total for all purposes.
10 00 8 26 25 94 15 34 37 00 10 00 60 00	8 50 5 00	5 45 7 31 5 00 10 00 8 05 9 57 5 00 19 95 10 00 3 50 3 50 3 50 3 50 3 50	475 00 130 00 10 00 506 00 330 00 200 00 75 00 100 00 100 00 100 00 175 00 348 76 201 00 180 00 210 00 180 00 210 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 252 00 200 00 253 00 2540 00 240 00 275 00 240 00 275 00	132 46 3 09 24 00 93 00 5 35 6 55 86 00 8 50 6 92 5 00 15 59 10 75 5 00 46 25 10 18 18 50 20 00 12 00 45 00 10 00 22 22 13 25 75 00 16 10 120 00 14 11 20 00 14 11 20 00 14 11 20 00 14 11 20 00 14 11 20 00 14 11 20 00 14 11	62 00 160 63 30 29 490 56 31 10 29 00 86 65 127 52 10 00 16 10 75 00 17 62 107 07 48 60 88 30 125 00 50 00 120 57 133 21 49 90 30 25 121 50 24 20 40 00 38 85 68 92 186 00 177 56 207 00 50 00 56 05 165 05 165 05	26 00 20 00 40 00 12 25 23 99 5 45 2 00 3 75	5 00 16 50 19 00 16 72 20 00 5 00 21 20 10 00 44 00 44 00 40 00 50 00 10 60 50 00 25 00 26 20 49 00 160 60 15 00	10 00	\$3,866 41 2,006 13 1,8916 73 3,1,963 45 1,871 41 5,2,063 92 6 1,391 32 7 1,369 79 2,003 15 9 354 54 10 1,334 85 11 5,081 05 1,802 61 1,986 95 14 2,627 05 3,315 30 16 1,533 05 17 1,340 10 1,831 31 19 5,176 17 20 4,178 60 11,091 25 2,733 31 10,894 47 6,257 17 3,169 04 1,239 50 2,458 63 6,659 50 1,350 88 1,825 87 1,301 75 3,169 04 1,239 50 2,458 63 6,659 50 6,843 05 3,64 10 3,487 97 35 615 50 6,843 05 37 5,801 02 3,887 14 44 1,749 65 2,018 30 1,190 03 1,800 00 1,626 36 2,534 75 3,887 14 4,201 16 4,2048 00 3,131 67 2,537 44 1,266 14 1,749 65 2,517 86 53,015 13 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,178 98 7,179 66 66 3,910 09 4,970 43 3,143 30 4,190 61 3,928 09 66 3,910 09 4,970 43 3,143 30 4,190 61 3,928 09 66 3,910 09 4,970 43 3,143 30 61 4,1926 61 3,928 09 66 67 67 67 67

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FIELD OF LABOR.	Collected for for- eign missions.	Special for foreign missions.	Woman's Mission- ary Association.	Church erection.	Church erection special.	Parsonage erection.
68 Pine Grove, 69 Pottstown, 70 Reading, Zion, 71 Reading, Trinity, 72 Reading, Salem, 73 Refton, 74 Royalton, 75 Schuylkill Haven, 76 Schafferstown, 77 Shamokin, 78 Shamokin Circuit, 79 Sinking Spring, 80 Steelton, 81 St. John's, 82 Sunbury, 83 Tower City, 84 Union, 85 Valley View, 86 Williamstown, Total	13 65 3 60 230 00 50 00 131 00 53 00 25 00 8 00 223 00 137 50 253 16 21 18 30 00 50 00 25 00 84 69 5 00 \$7,690 58	45 00	265 17 202 90 158 16 13 75 299 26 57 55 25 00 494 00 35 60 49 60 12 00 55 49	25 00 12 00 31 50 30 00 5 00 5 80 12 01 10 00 3 50 5 00 \$871 06	3 00	

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS, 1913.

FINANCE.												
Y. P. S. C. E. general fund.	Protherhood general fund.	Children's Day offering.	Conference collection.	Quincy Orphanage.		Bonebrake Theological Seminary.	Lebanon Valley College.	Bible Cause.	Total for foreign missions.			
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	CHURCH PROPERTY.								ted	
FIELD OF LABOR.		Number parsonage.	Value of church-house & grounds.	Debt on church.	Value of parsonage and lot.	Debt on parsonage.	Net value.	Months employed.	Number minutes wanted	
1 Allentown, Linden St.,	1 1	1	\$28,000 8,300	\$9,000	\$5,000		\$2,400	12 12	40 35	
Allentown, Sixth St., 3 Annville,	$\frac{1}{1}$	1	80,000	32,000	3,500		3,900 51,500	$\frac{12}{12}$		
A von.	1	1	15,000	850			17,150	12	75	
5 Belle Grove,	3						10,500 $10,500$	12 12	75 60	
7 Birdsboro,	2	1	4,000		1,000	900	4,100	12	30	
Catawissa	4	1	6,502		1,450		7,952	12	50	
Centerville,	$\begin{vmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{vmatrix}$						8,000 4,000	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	75 30 1	
Coatesville.	1	1	10,350	6,400			3,950	12		
Columbia	1	1	35,200				36,805	12	150 1	
3 Cressona,	$\frac{1\frac{1}{2}}{1}$	$\begin{vmatrix} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{vmatrix}$	10,000	175	2,425 2,500		8,925 10,350	$egin{array}{c} 12 \ 12 \ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c c} 50 & 1 \\ 25 & 1 \end{array}$	
Elizabethtown,	1	1	12,850		3,200	2,000	14,050	12	60, 1	
Enhrata	1	1			4,000		9,980	12	75	
Florin,	$\frac{z}{3}$	1					6,500 $10,700$	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	60 I	
) Halifax	2	1			1,800		7,300	12	75	
Harrisburg, First,	1	1	30,000	7,000		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	27,500	12	80 2 100 2	
Harrisburg, Otterbein, Harrisburg, Derry St.,	1	1 1	20,000 82,500	33,350	3,000 5,500		23,000 52,150	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	100 S 150 S	
Harrishurg, State St.,	1	1	15,000		3,500	1,800	16,700	12	75	
Harrisburg, Sixth St.,	1		50,138	27,500 750			22,638 8,250	12 12	175 2 75 2	
Hershey,	1	1	6,000 $12,000$	486		275	13,239	12	75	
7 Hillsdale,	4		6,500				6,500	12	60 5	
Hopeland,	2	1	9,350	945			9,305 25,000	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	60 5 70 5	
Hummelstown,	2	1 1	32,500 9,500				10,550	12	45	
I Tona.	2	1	6,700		2,100	1 475	7,325	12	75	
Alackson ville,	17	1		6 024	1,000		7,600 $14,466$	12 12	75 200	
Jonestown,	1	1	20,700 10,000	0,234	3,000		13,000	12	200	
Lancaster, N. Queen St.,.	11		14,485	2,435			12,050	12	80	
s Lancaster, Laurel St., · · ·	\perp		4,000	1,500	2 500	700	2,500 $28,725$	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	75 150	
7 Lebanon, Salem, 8 Lebanon, Trinity,	1	1 1	25,925 32,000		4 000	1	36,000	$12 \\ 12$	75	
g Lebanon, Memorial,	1	1	11,500		3,100	2,325	12,275	12	60	
0 Lebanon, West,	1		3,000	50	9.000		2,950 6,500	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	60 50	
Lebanon, Bethany, Lebanon, Hebron,	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	1	13,463	8,601	2,000		4,862	$\frac{12}{12}$	65	
3 Lebanon, Pleasant Hill, .	1		9,050	1,340			7 710	12	40	
4 Lebanon Circuit,	3	• • • •					12,500 7,500	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 12 \end{array}$	90 90	
Linglestown,	1	1	4,500	500	2,200	700	5,500	12		
7 Lykens,	1]	4,500		2,500	(7,000			
8 Lykens Circuit,	$\frac{5}{2}$	1	8,000 21,500	0.000	1,500	3,000	9,500 14 500			
0 Manheim, 0 Manot,		1	12,925	9,000	5,000	3,000	12,925			
1 Middletown,	1	1	14,000		1,400		15,400			
2 Millersburg, 3 Mont Clare,	$\frac{2}{1}$		8,000 2,650	2,050) 6,950)		12,900 1,960			
4 Mt. Carmel,	1	1	12,000		6,650	5,000		12	40	
55 Mt. Joy,	1	1	9,000		2,550) 450	11,100			
6 Mountville,		$\frac{1}{1}$	35,000	300	6,000 2,700	500	40,200 29,325			
7 Myerstown, 88 Neffsville,	. 1	1	3,000	11			3,000	12	50	
9 New Holland,	$\cdot \mid 2$	1	12,500		2,500	780	14,220			
30 Northampton Circuit, 31 Oberlin,		1	$\begin{bmatrix} 7,500 \\ 12,000 \end{bmatrix}$	750 1 600	2.500		6,750 10,900			
32 Palmyra, First,	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	1	27,000	2,000	3,000		28,000	12	50	
33 Palmyra, Second,	. 1		11,800		0.500		11,800			
34 Penbrook, 35 Pequea,	. 1	1 1	7,000 4.450	50	3,500)	10 500 5,400			
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68 Pine Grove, 69 Pottstown, 70 Reading, Zion, 71 Reading, Trinity, 72 Reading, Salem, 73 Refton, 74 Royalton, 75 Schuylkill Haven, 76 Schafferstown, 77 Shamokin, 78 Shamokin Circuit, 79 Sinking Spring, 80 Steelton, 81 St. John's, 82 Sunbury, 83 Tower City, 84 Union, 85 Valley View, 86 Williamstown,	$\begin{bmatrix} 2\\3\\5\\1\\ \hline \end{bmatrix}$	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 	23,500 5,200 5,000 25,500 7,500 20,500 4,800 6,500 15,250 4,000	1,370 12,120 208 800	15 000 3,000 2,700 3,000 7,875 2,400 3,500 5,000 1,850 1,500 1,800	3,625 1,000	7,470 6,000 27,200 20,002 13,960 7,600 4,100 16,630 5,000 27,750 6,600 5,000 25,500 11,000 13,380 6,342 6,500 15,950 5,800	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 1	35 75 50 75 80 30 70 30 125 70 30 100 75 75 70 75 105 30	68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 80 81 82 83 84 85 86
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SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

Churches—Number of churches organized, 152.

Ministers—Itinerants (total) 100; local preachers, 32; total, 132.

Members—Beginning of year, 21,598; received by confession of faith, 1,622; received by letter, 546; total in church during year, 23,766; lost by letter, 556; lost by removal, etc., 1,360; total loss, 1,916; members end of year, 21,850; increase, 963; decrease, 711; net gain, 252.

Young People's Societies, 89; members, 5,534; Junior Societies, 63; members, 3,427; brotherhoods, 5; members, 238.

Sunday-schools, 145; teachers and officers, 2,847; scholars in main school, 28,476; scholars in Home Department, 1,874; number on Cradle Roll, 3,396; total enrollment, 35,240; number adult Bible classes, 308; scholars adult Bible classes, 10,241; scholars added to church from Sunday-school, 1,025; Sunday-school libraries, 41; volumes in libraries, 8,702.

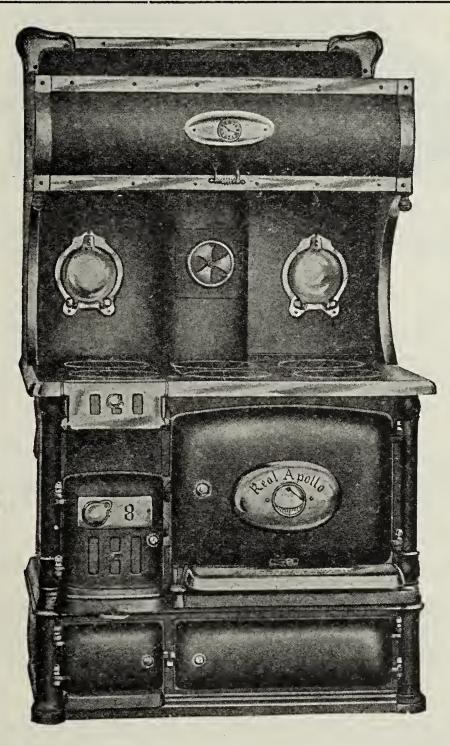
Literature—Religious Telescopes, 1,146; Woman's Evangel, 1,338; Watchword, 1,455; Friend for Boys and Girls, 1,395; Otterbein Teacher, 1,178; Otterbein Adult Quarterly, 2,252; Otterbein Senior Quarterly, 13,811; Otterbein Intermediate Quarterly, 4,354; Otterbein Home Department Quarterly, 1,732; Weekly Lesson Leaves, 1,783; Lessons for Our Juniors, 3,343; Graded Series Beginners' Stories, 851; Primary Stories, 845; Junior Handbooks, 491; Conference Heralds, 2,672.

Finances—Pastors' salaries paid, \$71,945.42; missionary appropriation, \$2,165; presents received, \$3,362.92; local current expenses, \$48,036.95; church and parsonage building, \$82,729.13; local S. S. purposes, \$24,072.86; home missions, \$3,486.37; special for home missions, \$345.05; foreign missions, \$7,690.58; special for foreign missions, \$123.62; Woman's Missionary Association, \$8,366.87; church erection, \$871.06; church erection, special, \$79.25; Y. P. S. C. E. General Fund, \$167.44; Brotherhood General Fund, \$24.50; Children's Day offering, \$311.13; Conference collections, \$14,656.07; Quincy Orphanage, \$1,662.59; West Philadelphia, \$2,956.97; Bonebrake Theological Seminary, \$317.94; Lebanon Valley College, \$980.60; Bible cause, \$10; total for all purposes, \$272,189.27.

Property—Church houses, 144½; parsonages, 56; value of church houses, \$1,208,888; debt on churches, \$201.567; value of parsonages and lots, \$184,400; debt on parsonages, \$41,350; net value, \$1,150,371.

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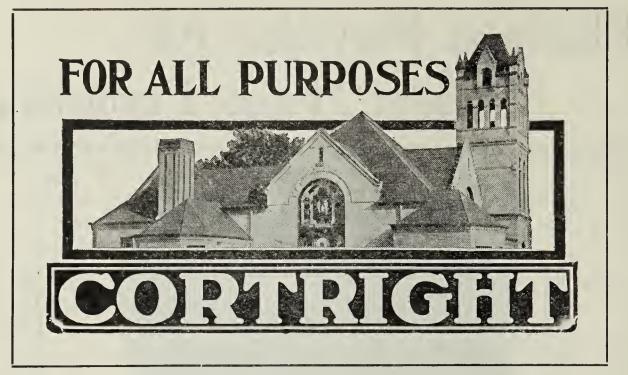
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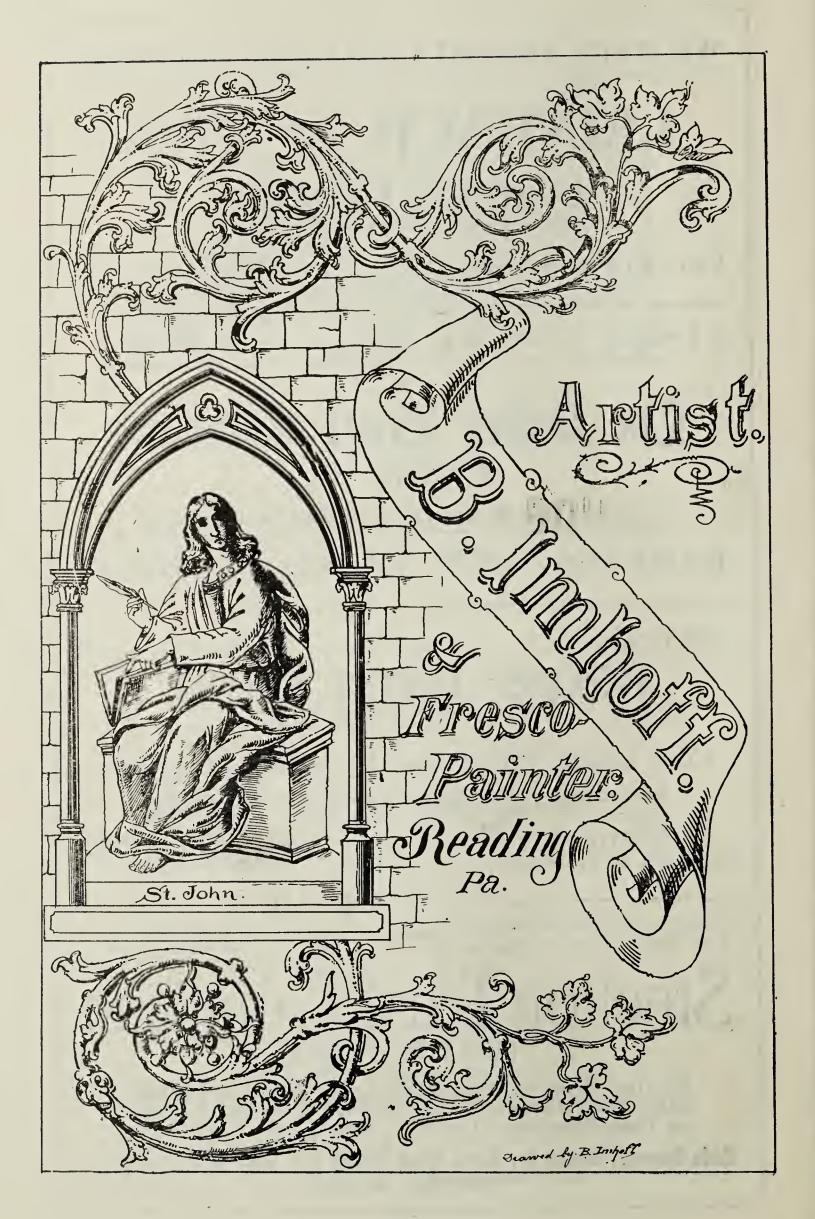
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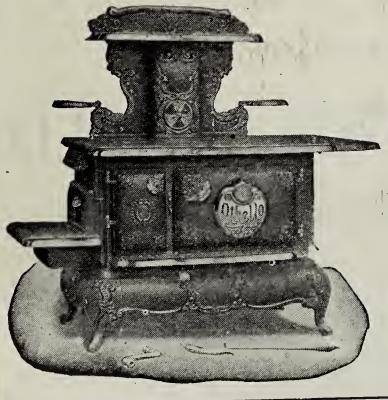


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